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THE WEATHER

Cloudy tonight and Friday, probably with rain.

SPOT COTTON

Atlanta, steady, 7¼c; New York, quiet, 7 65-100c; New Orleans, steady, 7 3-16c.

MAYOR WILL START NEW CHARTER FIGHT IN ANNUAL MESSAGE

Clean Sweep Necessary to Meet City's Needs, Says Mr. Woodward—Willing to Risk His Own Job

PLANS TO ASK COUNCIL FOR TWO COMMITTEES

Wants Two Charters, One on Commission Form and One on Alderman's Plan, Drawn and Submitted to People

Mayor Woodward let it be known Thursday that the leading feature of his message to the 1915 council, which convenes January 4, will be the opening gun in a death battle between commission government and the so-called representative government.

The mayor plans, at all hazards, the elimination of the present charter of the city of Atlanta, the numerous inadequacies of which he and other officials have often pointed out.

"I want to see a clean sweep of the present city government," says the mayor, "and I am ready, willing and glad to risk my own $4,000 a year with the others."

This is the plan outlined by the mayor:

He will ask council for the authority to name two committees on charters, each committee to be composed of twenty-five citizens. On each committee he will place only citizens of one "faith." In other words, he wants twenty-five dyed-in-the-wool commission government men to form the committee on a commission charter, and twenty-five equally stanch advocates of aldermanic government to form the second committee. Each committee, to serve without pay, will be instructed to prepare the very best possible charter for Atlanta on its plan.

LET PEOPLE DECIDE.

Then it will be left to the people to decide, after the next session of the legislature has provided the necessary authority, which form of government they prefer.

The mayor declares that he favors a recall of the city council if it refuses to allow the people to decide the issue.

"The time has come when there must be radical changes," Mayor Woodward declares, "for Atlanta can no longer progress under the present system. There must be a clean sweep.

"There is not a man in council who would run his own business as the city's is run. And it is not right or fair to the people that this should be the case.

"The time has come when the people of Atlanta must get a dollar's value for every dollar they spend, and they certainly don't get it now.

"I don't believe that the council is going to refuse to let the people settle the issue at the polls.

"I don't want to see any hybrids this time. The issue should be squarely drawn between commission and aldermanic government.

"The committees should be composed of the highest type of citizens, who would secure the very best charter possible for a city of Atlanta's needs."

MEANS BIG SHAKE-UP.

Should the mayor's plan be carried out and prove successful, it means that an election during the fall of 1915 would, as he expresses it, sweep out the present city government, from the mayor on down. It would mean that the jobs of the various officials elected for a two-year term beginning on January 1, when his own new term begins, would be jeopardized, with the likelihood of their being taken away when the office holders have served only half of their terms. Generally it would mean probably the biggest "shake-up" ever experienced by the city government.

Opposition to the mayor's plan in council is practically certain, and even if the whole plan is not attacked, a fight will be made on the provision that the mayor name the committees.

Apparently all important municipal politics in 1915 will revolve around the plan.

It is the mayor's desire to push the plan as rapidly as possible, and a verdict on that feature of his message will probably be one of the first important issues to be decided by the 1915 council.

Your Money Will Pan Out

You want a sewing machine, or a parlor table, or a bicycle, or a motorcycle, or any one or more of a dozen things, but the price is beyond your reach?

It need not be. Why long for new things beyond your reach when bargains in slightly used articles of every description are to be had at a price you can pay?

Run a Journal Want Ad telling just what you want, and you will find that some family has the very thing you are after that it wants to dispose of for one reason or another.

The Journal Wants will satisfy your long-deferred desires.

To reach all the people effectively you may leave your Want Ad at The Journal office or phone us to send for it or phone it to

Main 2000
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Burton Sees War Fields For Journal

In Germany Burton found the clock trains running on time and the famous German "system" undisturbed by war. There is no confusion, little excitement even where trains of wounded soldiers alternate with regular traffic. Germany is always the same.

BY HARRY PAYNE BURTON
(Staff Correspondence.)

BERLIN, Germany, Dec. 10.—"Zwei und vierzig!" (Two and forty.)

Those were the first words I heard in Germany. The slim, blonde girl whom I had noticed on the snorting little channel steamer that brought us across the most thickly mined sea in the world, across from the south shore of England to the north shore of Holland, leaned out of her compartment window and called them through the night to the hulking guardsman who was coming alongside our halted train.

The girl spoke them in clear, joyous tones, and his "Ja! ja!" was just as ringing.

The spirit of jubilation with which these people talked struck me like a spray of cold rain. I had been in London ten weeks and nourished exclusively on English war "news" and I had concluded that Germany was starving, that Germany was disillusioned and that tragic accents were the only ones in use in the kaiser's empire.

But I came later to know that this spirit of jubilation is the spirit of all Germany—absolute confidence in the great German fighting machine, confidence in what it will do and joy in what it has already done with its 42—"zwei und vierzig"—centimeter guns, with its field-gray—"feldgrau"—uniforms, and with its daring submarines—"unterseebooten."

The train had wound its way through Holland, past long dykes, across smooth canals, through quaint villages where Dutch girls with wildrose cheeks and white starched bonnets sold milk-chocolate and coffee for eight weary hours.

Then suddenly it halted in the precise center of a vast dark field.

I pulled open the window of my compartment and way up the track I saw a group of soldiers going in and out of compartments almost as fast as the guardsman with the lantern could open them. I knew then that I had reached Goch, the first town across the German frontier.

I, with everyone else on the train, was to be examined to see if there were any English spies among us.

I wasn't exactly afraid, but all the German I know I learned in one short semester at college and my throat grew very dry when the bayoneted soldiers appeared at my door.

I have had my professor speak German to me on many occasions—and very swiftly, too, as I thought—but that avalanche of "Deutsch" which was hurled at me through the compartment door at 2 o'clock in the morning completely stunned my brain.

I said simply, "I speak English."

And eight bayonets pointed to my breast!

"Ah, you are English!" said the burly spokesman of the party—and I saw my mistake.

"Nein! nein!" I retracted, hastily, trying to put my thoughts together. "Nein, ich bin Amerikaner; ich spreche wenig Deutsch; ich spreche Englisch."

The blue eyes, shaded by a sharp-edged helmet, looked at me a moment and then came the bitten-off words, "Kommen Sie mit," and with the eight bayonets describing a circle about me just three inches from the outward perimeter of my raincoat.

I was taken to a little shack where I was informed the "Kommandant" would "question" me.

The Kommandant was a most regal person—a regular "Graustark" hero with a long sweeping military cape of pale gray broadcloth swinging imperiously about him and just grazing the sparkling spurs fixed upon his elegant riding boots.

He spoke most excellent English and said he was very sorry that the language of America wasn't different from the language of England, as it would "avoid confusion."

He handed me back my passport, my letters and the other documents I had given him to establish my identity and asked for "something else." I had an inspiration—at least I came to know later that it was an inspiration. I had in my bag a letter of introduction from Amos Pinchot, of New York, to Ambassador Gerard in Berlin. I produced it. The Kommandant took it and began to read aloud:

"Honorable James W. Gerard,
"Ambassador to Germany,
"Wilhelm Platz, Berlin.

"Dear Jim—

The Kommandant dropped the letter. "Mein Gott,' he said. "Your friend calls Herr Gerard 'dear Jim.' Ja! you may go."

I had been the single object of suspicion in all those many coaches and the minute I slammed my door, the train started. For an hour we rode through the night and then we got off at Wesel. The clock on the station platform said it was 10 minutes past 3 a. m. The train for Berlin—"der Zug nach Berlin"—I was told would pass at 6:30 in the morning.

Three hundred people trooped into the tiny waiting room and began to talk—the FIRST TALK these people, practically, all of whom were returning to "the fatherland" from England, had freely had since the war started.

The waiters and the ticket agent were cornered and made to tell "the truth about the war."

"The German flew so thick and fast that I would have been left hopelessly behind but for the slim blonde girl who had been in the compartment next to mine. She translated rapidly for me, and then suddenly we discovered that all eyes were on us.

"He speaks English!" they all cried. But the slim blonde girl told them that I was an American—that not only had I been passed at Goch because of my excellent credentials but that the Kommandant had asked her to see me through and that in, addition, she KNEW me for an American indisputably because of my accent.

"I have lived three years in New Jersey," she said, "and I know the Americans are our friends."

With that she took from her purse a clipping from the New York Staats-Zeitung and, mounting a chair, began to read in German a poem by a German-American celebrating the brotherhood of the two nations.

When she had finished three cheers

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U. S. ON THRESHOLD OF GREATEST PERIOD PROSPERITY IN YEARS

European Nations Have Placed Contracts in U. S. for More Than $300,000,000 in Supplies, Declares Schwab

NEW PROBLEM, HE SAYS, TO BE HANDLING TRADE

Steel King Just Back From England, Where He Went to Cancel Contract to Build Submarines

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—European nations have placed contracts in the United States for more than $300,000,000 worth of supplies since the beginning of the war, according to Charles M. Schwab, president of the Bethlehem Steel corporation, who returned from England today on the Lusitania. Mr. Schwab declared that as a result of this buying the United States now was at the threshold of the greatest period of prosperity it has seen in many years."

GIVES UP CONTRACT.

Mr. Schwab went to England to cancel provisional contracts he had made with the British government for the building of submarines. He did this, he said today, after having been advised by Secretary Bryan that for an American concern to supply submarines to any of the belligerent nations would be a violation of neutrality. The contracts given up, he said, were worth more than $15,000,000, but he was able to secure others while abroad for the supply of various munitions of war. He declined to say with what nation they had been negotiated.

"The next big problem the United States will have to face," said Mr. Schwab, "will be development of transportation facilities to handle the tremendous increases in manufacturing and commercial enterprises.

PROSPERITY HERE.

"The period of prosperity that I predicted on my last return from Europe is about on us. The contracts placed with American manufacturing concerns by Europe call for delivery within the year, but I look to see a big revival of business in every line."

Mr. Schwab, on his previous trip, was a passenger on the steamship Olympic when that ship went to the rescue of the dreadnaught Audacious. He declined then to confirm or deny the incident, pleading that he was honor bound not to speak of it.

Asked today if the Audacious did go down, his reply was:

"It certainly did."

Italian Agents Buy Horses in Montana

(By Associated Press.)

MILES CITY, Mont., Dec. 24.—Stock growers are in receipt of orders from agents of the Italian government for 10,000 horses for cavalry and artillery service, it became known here today. Two hundred and fifty head of horses were shipped from here to Chicago today consigned to Italian agents.

20,000,000 Feet of Ties Are Ordered by English

(By Associated Press.)

TACOMA, Wash., Dec. 24.—Tenders for 20,000,000 feet of ties for delivery in England have been asked of northwest mills by J. F. Neams & Co., of London, through the firm's local agent.

The order will be placed after January 1.

England Spends Millions Of Dollars in Missouri

(By Associated Press.)

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 24.—Figures announced today by the Commercial club show that $5,000,000 worth of horses and mules have been marketed through Kansas City to the British government. One manufacturer alone has supplied to the same market half a million pairs of shoes for soldiers. The reports of fifty-two flour mills in this district have been 217,000 barrels this year, compared with 75,000 barrels last year.

$4,000,000 Worth of Wire Purchased in Pittsburg

(By Associated Press.)

PITSBURG, Dec. 24.—Demand from European belligerents for barbed and plain wire reached high pressure today in the wire mills of the Pittsburg district. Offers of orders aggregating 125,000 tons of which 25,000 tons are specified as barbed wire of special design recently have been made, the only point at issue being the time of delivery. That business is worth approximately $4,000,000 and will keep the mills going for several months.

England, France and Russia have been large customers of the Pittsburg wire mills since the war began.

GOV. BLEASE BEGINS HIS CHRISTMAS PARDONING

(By Associated Press.)

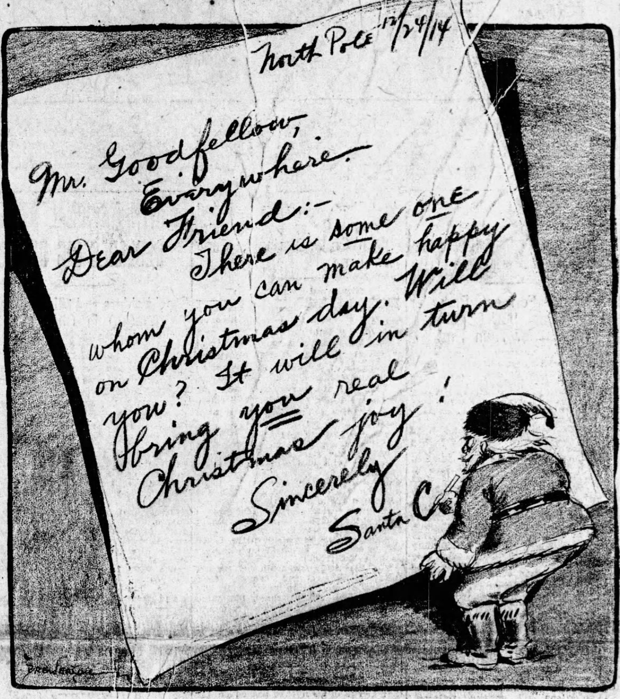
COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 24.—First of the expected large number of Christmas pardons and paroles by Governor Blease were filed early today with the secretary of state. One white man and one negro convicted of manslaughter and a negro convicted of assault with intent to kill, whose sentences aggregated thirty years' imprisonment, were paroled, and a white man serving a twelve years' sentence for manslaughter was pardoned.

CAPTAIN BANKHEAD IS ORDERED TO ISLANDS

Captain Henry M. Bankhead, who recently returned to Fort McPherson, has been ordered to the Philippines immediately. Mrs. Bankhead and their children will accompany him.

Austrian Torpedoes Fail To Sink Big French Battleship

BE A "GOOD-FELLOW," TOMORROW



KIMBALL HOUSE LEASED FOR TERM OF TEN YEARS

C. H. Barnes and John S. Mabry, of Jacksonville, New Managers of Hostelry

Official announcement was made Thursday of the leasing of the Kimball house, Atlanta's oldest and most famous hotel, to C. H. Barnes and John S. Mabry, of Jacksonville, Fla., for a term of ten years.

While the exact amount of consideration involved was not made known, it is understood to aggregate over $500,000 for the entire term.

The deal was handled by Otto F. Feil, of the Empire Trust and Safe Deposit company, acting for the owners of the hotel, the H. I. Kimball company, of which Edward Inman is president, and John W. Grant, treasurer.

The new lessees will take possession of the hotel on January 1. Mr. Mabry, who is part owner of the Park hotel, Jacksonville, and a hotel man of long and distinguished experience, will be in active charge of the Kimball. It is understood that he is planning extensive improvements, the installation of several modern features that will appeal to the traveling public, and uphold the reputation for convenience and quality which the Kimball has held for years.

Mr. Feil stated that the lease of the Kimball was one of several similar real estate deals that are pending locally which should liven local conditions and make trading brisk within the next few weeks.

GRAND JURIES HAD SAME OLD TROUBLES IN 1808

Report in Old Paper Deals With Unlicensed Sale of Liquors

Grand juries in Georgia in 1808, 106 years ago, were dealing, just like they are today, with the unlicensed sale of spirituous liquors.

The interesting fact was commented upon Thursday when Captain R. M. Clayton, chief of construction, exhibited about the city hall a copy of the "Monitor," a newspaper printed at Washington, Ga., bearing the date of December 3, 1808.

The editor of the paper, Mrs. Sarah Porter Hillhouse, was the great grandmother of the late Mrs. Clayton, and the paper is an interesting family relic.

Its leading article deals with the presentments and indictments of a grand jury, just adjourned.

CHAMPIONS OF WORLD BUY SHERWOOD M'GEE

(By Associated Press.)

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 24.—Sherwood R. Magee, Philadelphia National outfielder, was today traded to the Boston Nationals for cash and some players.

The amount of cash involved was not announced. The players the Philadelphia club will receive from the Boston team will be selected later.

CITY TAX RECEIPTS FOR 1914 MAY EXCEED 1913

Report Through December 23 Shows Grand Total of $4,137,662

The total receipts of the city tax collector's office this year will equal, if not exceed the receipts of last year, according to J. L. Williams, chief clerk, whose tabulation of the receipts to date show that they are $4,137,662.18, against $4,281,351.53 for the entire year of 1913.

The comparison is still more favorable when it is considered that in 1913 the city sold bonds to the amount of $236,000, which was included in the receipts, against only $182,000 in bonds sold this year.

The receipts of the water department show a gain for the year of more than $32,000 despite the fact that the water bills for the month of December are not included in this year's figures. In 1913 the receipts of the department were $440,012.58, while through December 23 of this year they totaled $472,202.75.

The general tax receipts show an important increase, the figures for the entire year of 1913 being $1,940,320.26, while to date this year they are $2,061,267.83.

The receipts for business license also show a gain, but a small one. The amount of the tax collected from business licenses this year is $224,79.966, against $24,215 in 1913.

The receipts from near beer license show a slight gain, the amount collected this year being $51,300 against $51,225 in 1913.

The only departments of importance to show a decrease in receipts are those of the recorder's court and the city marshal.

In 1913 the city collected through the recorder's court the sum of $85,434.95, while through December 23 of this year the receipts from fines amounted to only $64,701.83. In 1913 the city marshal collected $282,821.62 against $211,231.12 up to December 23 of this year.

JOHN MUIR, NATURALIST, DIES IN LOS ANGELES

(By Associated Press.)

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 24.—John Muir, the naturalist, died in a hospital here today of pneumonia.

He was seventy-six years of age.

LAMAR HAS FRANK CASE UNDER ADVISEMENT NOW

Supreme Court Justice Hears Marshall's Plea and Will Decide Later

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Justice Lamar of the supreme court took under advisement today an application for an appeal from the action of Federal Judge Newman in refusing to release Leo M. Frank, convicted of the murder of Mary Phagan, on habeas corpus proceedings. The justice did not intimate when he would announce his decision.

Louis Marshall, of New York, of counsel for Frank, presented the application.

In addition to the formal appeal, Mr. Marshall had prepared for the justice's signature a certificate stating that in his opinion there was "probable couse for appeal." Such a certificate is necessary in an appeal from the denial of habeas corpus when the conviction is in a state court.

RESERVE BANK CUTS DISCOUNT RATE AGAIN

Further Reduction Announced by Governor McCord, Effective January 28

A further reduction in discount rates was announced by Joseph A. McCord, governor of the federal reserve bank of Atlanta, Wednesday afternoon. These rates, which will become effective January 28 and apply to loans made to all the member banks of the sixth reserve district are as follows:

Five per cent up to and including sixty days.

Five and one-half per cent for more than sixty and including ninety days.

Six per cent for more than ninety days.

The old rates, which are to be discontinued, are:

Five per cent for thirty days and under.

Five and one-half per cent for more than thirty days and including sixty.

Six per cent for more than sixty days.

28,000,000 MEN NOW UNDER ARMS IN WAR

LONDON, Dec. 23.—The belligerent armies in the fields of war today number all told nearly 18,500,000 men, or 28,000,000 with all reserves and "new" troops counted according to a French statistician, M. Yves Guyot.

The expenditure required he estimates at an average of nearly $2.50 daily per man, or about $11,000,000,000 for one year of warfare. A single year of the present war, he thinks, will cost about the same amount of money as the total expenditure for all the wars of the previous fifty years.

SUBMARINE ATTACK MADE BY AUSTRIANS OFF ITALIAN COAST

German Aviator Flies Over Dover, on Channel Coast of England, Drops Harmless Bomb and Disappears

RUSSIANS ARE CLAIMING CAPTURE OF 7,188 MEN

Kaiser's Forces Admit Slight Reverses in France and Belgium, but Claim Gains Against Czar's Men

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, Dec. 24.—A hostile aeroplane dropped a bomb over Dover this morning and then disappeared, according to a statement made this afternoon by the official press bureau.

The text of the statement follows:

"An aeroplane of the enemy dropped a bomb while passing over Dover this morning. The missile fell in a garden and exploded, but no damage was done. The aeroplane was seen for a few seconds only. It left immediately, passing out over the sea. A British air craft went up but did not see the enemy. The weather was cloudy and foggy."

The German areial raid on Dover is the first news of an authentic character of any hostile aircraft visiting Great Britain.

The machine today came from the direction of Deal and was flying very high. It was not sighted from Dover until it suddenly emerged from the clouds. Apparently Dover Castle was its objective point for the bomb fell in the garden of St. James rectory. Fog made easy the escape of the hostile airship. Immediately he had dropped his bomb the pilot started straight across the channel. Two British aeroplanes tried to catch the raider, but he had too much of a start.

SUBMARINE ATTACK.

An official statement given out in Paris today says that an Austrian submarine torpedoed a French battleship in the Gulf of Otranto.

The battleship was damaged only slightly. No one was injured.

The gulf of Otranto is in the Adriatic, at the southern end of Italy.

An official communication issued in Paris today by the French minister of marine says:

"An Austrian submarine fired two torpedoes at a French armored cruiser in the strait of Otranto, one of them exploding forward. The damage done to the vessel was unimportant. None of the cruiser's crew was injured."

Christmas eve finds little change in underground warfare in the west where General Joffre still appears to be cautiously feeling for an opening in the strongly entrenched German line across France and Belgium.

In the east a supreme German effort continues to be made before Warsaw, where the German center and the Russians, seeking to check it, sway back and forth along the banks of the rivers barring the way to the Polish capital.

The Russians claim successes in the latest encounters but during the last ten days the Germans have advanced appreciably, and it is said they now are bringing up their forty-two centimeter guns preparatory to siege operations.

In Galicia the Austro-German forces seem to have made no further progress and in the north the Russians are reported to have pushed the invaders further back into east Prussia.

German tactics in the march toward Warsaw, military observers in London point out, are beginning to have some of the characteristics of the rush towards Calais and Dunkirk which the allies stemmed, thousands being sacrificed and others being hurled forward to fill the gaps with the same prodigality that was shown by the Germans in Flanders.

GREAT HOSTS IN EAST.

Military experts here are unable to agree on the number of the Austro-German troops in the east, estimates varying from 1,000,000 to 1,500,000, but it is pointed out that Russia, unless exaggerating her resources, should be able easily to top this figure now that her concentration of forces is nearing completion.

Petrograd has never conceded that the occupation of Lodz by the Germans had any strategic importance, but the German view has now found expression from Field Marshal Von Hindenburg, who remarked to the representative of the Associated Press on the eastern front that he considered it "the turning point of the campaign."

All the armies are planning to spend Christmas as best they may. Boxes and greetings from home are being distributed in the trenches, at the hospitals and in the camps, hundreds of thousands of post cards to the soldiers and sailors from King George and Queen Mary being one feature of the British gifts.

Paris Official Statements Claims Gains for Allies

(By Associated Press.)

PARIS, Dec. 24.—The French official statement given out this afternoon recites a series of French successes of apparently minor importance from the sea on the north of the frontier of Alsace on the south. The locations where French troops have gained the advantage are given as along the Lys; in the region of the Aisne; in Champagne; near Perthes; in the Argonne; in the forest of Apremont and near St. Die.

Fog prevented fighting near Arras and Verdun, and there has been artillery fighting southeast of Amiens, near Ville-

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HARD TIMES COMPLETELY ROUTED BY OLD SANTA

Postoffice and Express Company Report Greatest Business in History

Employes of the Atlanta postoffice and of the local offices of the Southern Express company were the busiest people in town Wednesday and Thursday, the days when the Christmas rush was more marked than it has been since the holiday season began.

Postmaster Bolling Jones and W. T. Elder, local agent for the express company, united in the statement that more business had been handled this Christmas than ever before in Atlanta's history.

A large force of extra men has been employed at the postoffice, and the work of distributing Christmas parcels has been going forward rapidly. By Christmas night there will not be a single undelivered package in the postoffice, stated Mr. Jones.

At the Southern Express company's offices at the Terminal station, eight automobiles and sixty-five wagons have been rushing parcels to every part of Atlanta. While Mr. Elder has taken on a great deal of outside help, the brunt of the labor has fallen on the regular force, which has worked with a willingness and efficiency that will have every package delivered by Friday afternoon.

The express company has also been very busy in the recently inaugurated call service, by which bundles are delivered from one part of the city to another.

A Quinine That Won't Make You Nervous

FEBRILINE is a trade-mark name which designates the first, original and only reliable Tasteless Syrup of Quinine. An improved Quinine, pleasant to take; does not nauseate nor cause nervousness. Children take it and never know it is Quinine. Especially adapted to adults who cannot take ordinary Quinine. Try it next time you need Quinine for any purpose. Ask for 2-ounce original package. The name FEBRILINE is blown in the bottle. 25 cents. (Advt.)

FEAST TO BE SPREAD AT HOME FOR OLD WOMEN

Big Dinner and Christmas Tree on Program of Entertainment Friday

Joy fills the hearts of the thirtd-odd elderly ladies in the Home for Old Women on West End avenue, whose thoughts are now dwelling upon the Christmas dinner, a veritable feast, which will be served Friday.

This dinner is one of the events of the year at the home, and anyone who has partaken of a Christmas feast there, will vouch for the fact that it is a mighty good one.

Mrs. Sarah J. Purtell, president of the board of lady managers of the home, will, according to her invariable custom, spend Christmas day at the home and will welcome those who visit there.

After the Christmas dinner a large Christmas tree will hold the center of activities. From this tree individual gifts for each of the old ladies will be distributed.

Despite hard times in many places, the management of the home is to be congratulated that they have paid off this year the last money due on the building. Congratulations from Atlanta citizens are always given at Christmas time, and this Christmas is expected to prove no exception to the rule.

HOPKINS DIVORCE CASE PAPERS ALLOWED FILED

Complaint and Answer May Be Recorded Now, New York Jurist Rules

By order of Justice Giegerich, of the supreme court of New York, the complaint and answer in the suit for divorce of Mrs. McKie Bennett Hopkins against Dr. J. R. Hopkins, 275 Peachtree street, the Atlanta millionaire, will be permitted to be filed despite the fact that they were not filed within the requisite time after August 26, the date of service.

The papers under this order, have not been filed, however, and neither Dr. Hopkins nor Mrs. Hopkins will divulge their contents.

Dr. Hopkins is in Atlanta, living in his mansion at 275 Peachtree street, but has nothing to say. His attorney, Eugene Black, says he cannot discuss the case.

It is known, however, that Mrs. Hopkins asks several thousand dollars a month alimony. The papers were served on Dr. Hopkins last August when he was on a short visit to New York. Mrs. Hopkins and her son, Russell Hopkins, are in New York.

FEDERATION OF TRADES NAMES OFFICERS FOR 1915

William Robinson Is Elected President and L. A. Caraway Vice President

At a crowded and enthusiastic meeting in the Labor temple, 112 Trinity avenue, Wednesday night, officers of the Atlanta Federation of Trades were elected for 1915.

William Robinson, machinist No. 43, was elected president; L. A. Caraway, paperhangers, vice president; L. P. Marquardt, tailors, recording secretary; Karl Karston, barbers, financial secretary.

Financial committee, J. R. New, machinist No. 1; W. C. Caraway, Typographical union No. 48; E. L. Fickin, carpenters. Board of trustees, E. G. Nabell, machinist; J. A. Alleyn, pressman No. 8; John Fillis, moulder. Sergeant at arms, Don Pappa.

TWO AND A HALF DOLLAR GOLD PIECE FOR XMAS GIFT

Atlanta's Oldest Savings Bank Will Supply You

Nothing fits in for a Christmas present exactly like gold—nothing could be more appreciated. It saves giving a useless gift and best of all it puts an end to the annual worrying, vexatious questions of what you shall give.

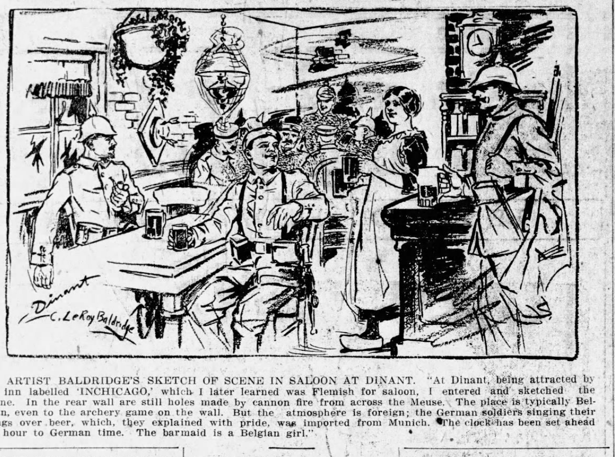
The Georgia Savings Bank and Trust company, following its annual custom, will furnish you with $2.50 gold pieces for its equivalent in any other denomination as long as our supply lasts.

We pay 4 per cent interest and will appreciate your savings account.

GEORGE M. BROWN, President.
JOHN W. GRANT, Vice President.
JOSEPH E. BOSTON, Sec. & Treas.
(Advt.)

CITY COAL CO.
Special Price, Red Ash Coal, $4.25 ton.

HARRY PAYNE BURTON SEES WAR FOR THE JOURNAL'S READERS



ARTIST BALDRIDGE'S SKETCH OF SCENE IN SALOON AT DINANT. "At Dinant, being attracted by an inn labelled 'INCHICAGO,' which I later learned was Flemish for saloon, I entered and sketched the scene. In the rear wall are still holes made by cannon fire from across the Meuse. The place is typically Belgian, even to the archery game on the wall. But the atmosphere is foreign; the German soldiers singing their songs over beer, which, they explained with pride, was imported from Munich. The clock has been set ahead an hour to German time. The barmaid is a Belgian girl."

"JEDGE BRILES" IS GIVEN DOSE OF OWN MEDICINE

But the Former Recorder Didn't Hear "30 Days"—It Was Better Than That

Charged with running the police court for sixteen years irrespective of what the law-breakers thought and to their great discomfort, Judge Nash R. Broyles, of the court of appeals, was summarily tried before Acting Recorder J. L. Mayson Thursday.

Chief Beavers, Assistant Chief J. L. Jett, Captain W. W. Mayo and Officer Ed Arthur were the prosecutors. W. H. Preston, clerk, sat beside Mr. Mayson.

Judge Broyles, now on the side of the judicial bnech wher criminals had stood before him for sixteen years, pleaded not guilty.

He said that Ed Arthur, in shutting down obnoxious shows, and Chief Beavers and Assistant Chief Jett and Captain Mayo, in hunting down criminals, did most of the work, and that he had only done his part in judging cases they brought to him. So he wanted them joined as particeps criminis.

Judge Mayson threatened to sentence Prisoner Broyles to two hours with Chief Beavers in his private office, but the prisoner protested so that Judge Mayson withdrew his threat.

At the close of the mock trial Judge Broyles, found guilty of the charges of having done his full duty as Atlanta's recorder for sixteen years, was punished by being presented with a handsome gold watch, the gift of the police department.

Felicitations all around followed. Judge Broyles said he could never express in words his appreciation of the gift.

Deaths and Funerals

MRS. ELIZABETH MEYER.

Mr Elizabeth Meyer, seventy-four years old, died Wednesday afternoon at her home, 406 Fraser street. She is survived by her sister, Mrs. Margaret Davis.

GRACE POSS.

Grace, the three-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Poss, died at her home in East Point Thursday morning at 4:30 o'clock. The funeral and interment will take place Friday morning at Providence church yard.

JESSALYN WRIGHT.

Jessalyn Wright, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Wright, died at her home, 57 Argart avenue, Thursday morning. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon and the interment will be in Hillcrest cemetery.

BERNICE E. MITCHELL.

Bernice Elbern, six-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Mitchell, died Wednesday afternoon at his home, 56 Dillon street. The funeral was held Thursday morning at 11 o'clock and interment was in North View cemetery.

MISS M'CARLEY'S FUNERAL.

The funeral of Miss Tommie Estelle McCarley, who died Tuesday, will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, from the residence, 675 Gordon street. Rev. W. M. Sentell will officiate and interment will be in West View.

MR. JOHN T. REESE.

Mr. John T. Reese, eighty years old, died Wednesday night at his home, 321 East Fair street, after an illness of four weeks. He was a Confederate veteran and a member of the Thompson, Ga., Methodist church. He is survived by his son, H. O. Reese, and one daughter, Mrs. A. W. Dimmock.

MR. J. D. WEATHERS.

Mr. J. D. Weathers, fifty-six years old, died Wednesday afternoon at his home, 187 North Jackson street. He is survived by his wife; one daughter, Miss Lois Weathers; two sisters and seven brothers. The body was carried Thursday morning tto Roanoke, Ala., where funeral services and interment will take place.

MRS. EVANS GIVES $1,000 CHECK TO CHARITIES

Given at a time when thousands of industrious poor, temporarily out of work, need every cent the Associated Charities can possibly raise, a check for $1,000, presented by Mrs. Arthur Kelly Evaans through Asa G. Candler for the reorganization of the association, was accepted with heartfelt thanks Wednesday.

It is hoped that other citizens who can afford to do so will follow Mrs. Evans' lead and give as much as they can for the work of the Associated Charities. This institution is taxed this year as never before to provide for the needy of the city.

NEWLANDS WILL DEFER HIS WATERWAYS PLAN

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Senator Newlands gave notice in the senate today he would defer until next session of congress his plan to co-ordinate river and harbor improvements into a broad national scheme of waterway development.

No "Chaos" in Germany, but Perfect Order and System, With Crack Trains Running on Time

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were given for the Americans. And for the rest of the night I was a hero instead of a pariah!

The 6:30 train that took me from Wesel to Muelheim on-Ruhr gave me no glimpse of Germany—for I went to sleep! A kindly guard pulled me until I was awake and conducted me across the tracks to the platform where I was to wait for the "Schnellzug nach Berlin."

An express train to Berlin! I stammered my amazement to the guard as I slipped him a mark. His loquacity developed wonderfully under the effect of the 23 cents. "We have FOUR express trains EVERY day from Cologne to Berlin!" he said proudly. "The war has had little effect with us Germans. During the month of mobilization things were put about a little, but everything is practically normal again."

This was the second surprise I had had in about six hours of Germany. I began to look about.

The beautiful new train platforms, fashioned of steel and cement, were dazzling in their cleanliness. Fully 500 persons were waiting there, but there was absolutely no confusion. A guard, who looked as though he would make a very good soldier, if soldiers were badly needed, went up to each person, asked him which train he wanted and told him which track it would come in on.

Then a sign was suddenly displayed at the end of the platform. The sign read that the first train that passed on the right hand side of the platform was a military train bearing wounded from Belgium to Berlin, but that the public express for Berlin would follow it within five minutes.

Immediately from three small rooms built on the platform battalions, it seemed to me, of white-capped nurses appeared bearing baskets in which were materials for bandages, vials of medicines, bottles of liniment and flasks of brandy.

Behind them came several groups of women carrying baskets of sandwiches and hot muffins and pails of hot coffee. As the train rolled in, the nurses at once stepped in to treat the wounded soldiers.

Most of the men, it seemed, were lightly wounded and they stuck their heads out of windows and called for food and coffee. The people cheered them, they cheered back and laughed and joked with the girls who handed them the food. Everyone was very jolly.

The older men on the platform stepped up and asked the soldiers how things looked at the front. "Gut! sehr gut!" was the reply, always—and their voices rang true.

The spectacle I saw enacted on this platform is absolutely typical of the Germany of today. Everything there is moving just a notch or two better than it is in England and several notches better—to be kind—than it is in France. There is no hysteria; there is no lack of confidence in soldiers or civilians; there is no lack of food; no lack of money and every detail of comfort for the fighters has been arranged.

So far as I knew, you can see in no other country engaged in this war the spectacle of women tending to the wounded at every station on the railroads—in Germany there is not a "Bahnhof" in the land that does not have its quota of ministering women, not a station where the regular schedule of express trains is not being maintained.

The express train I rode to Berlin on was a model. It was the first well-heated train I had been in since I left America. It was beautifully clean. The service was perfect and the meal that I had in the dining car—"Speisewaggon"—I am positive could not be surpassed even on our own firstclass roads.

MRS. WM. NIXON WILL BE BURIED THURSDAY

The funeral of Mrs. William M. Nixon, wife of the president of the Atlanta Woolen mills, who died Wednesday at noon, will be held from the residence, 733 Peachtree street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Dr. H. M. DuBose, pastor of the First Methodist church, of which Mrs. Nixon was a prominent member, will officiate, assisted by Dr. W. F. Glenn. The teachers of the First Methodist Sunday school and the board of stewards of that church will attend in a body.

Interment will be private in West View.

ALLEGED BURGLARS HELD FOR COURT

Charged with burglarizing the house of Henry S. Johnson, of Chamberlin-Johnson-DuBose company, 695 Peachtree street, Champ Andrews and Jim Sneed, colored, were bound over by Recorder Johnson under $1,000 bond Wednesday afternoon. Joe Andrews, a white man, proprietor of a grocery store at Bedford place and Linden avenue, was bound over under $300 bond charged with receiving part of the stolen goods.

The jewels, recovered by city detectives, were given back to Mr. Johnson

FOURTH NATIONAL BANK DECLARES BIG DIVIDEND

Stockholders Will Receive $36,000 in Checks in Christmas Mail

At a call meeting Thursday morning of the board of directors of the Fourth National bank, of which Captain James W. English is president, the bank's thirty-seventh semi-annual dividend was declared, and checks are now in the mail to the stockholders for the sum of $36,000.

This dividend was declared at the bank's rate of 6 per cent semi-annually, or 12 per cent a year.

Heretofore, the semi-annual dividends have not been declared until December 31, the end of the six months, but Thursday this was changed, and in the future, dividends will be declared so that checks will be mailed to reach stockholders on Christmas day.

The directors announced that a substantial sum would be passed to the account of undivided profits at the end of the year.

ALL NEAR-BEER SALOONS WILL CLOSE XMAS DAY

City Law Says They Must Not Be Opened for Any Purpose

The lid goes on near-beer saloons in Atlanta Christmas day. No order from the mayor of the chief of police or other official is necessary to their closing, as it is already the city law that none shall remain open on Christmas.

Witness, this from Section 1651 of the city code of 1910: "All near-beer saloons or places at or in which near-beer is licensed to be sold, shall be closed on each Christmas day and the doors thereof shall not be opened for any purpose, nor shall any persons pass in or out of same on that day."

The penalty for violation of this law is fine not exceeding $100 or thirty days in the stockade, or the fine and the stockade sentence.

CREMATORY COMPANY WOULD STOP ITS PLANT

Right to Supplement Original Petition Is Filed in Federal Court

Judge Newman, of the federal court, issued an order Wednesday instructing Frank E. Callaway, special master, to take the evidence in the litigation of the Destructor company and the city of Atlanta.

In the court, representatives of the Destructor company stated that since the litigation commenced, the company has spent an additional $15,000 in perfecting the crematory.

The company asked leave to supplement its petition to show this fact and also to ask permission to discontinue operation of the plant in view of the city's refusal to increase the price per ton it pays for the destruction of garbage.

EMPLOYES AT TERMINALS HONOR JOHN D. PATTERSON

John D. Patterson, superintendent of the Atlanta Joint terminals, was Wednesday presented with a handsome silver loving cup by 200 employes of the terminal. The presentation speech was made by Sam W. Wilkes, division freight agent and a life-long friend of Mr. Patterson.

In his speech Mr. Wilkes told of Mr. Patterson's rise in the railroad world from a wood passer, or old-time fireman, to his present position, which is of considerable more importance than the ordinary railroad superintendency, embracing as it does, the handling of the work of three roads, the Louisville and Nashville, the Georgia and the Atlanta and West Point.

Mr. Patterson was in charge of freight operations on the Panama canal for some time, having been selected for the arduous position because of his recognized ability. Perhaps no railroad man in the south enjoys a larger acquaintance than he.

KADISHA LODGE NAMES OFFICERS FOR YEAR

At the semi-annual meeting of Kadisha lodge, No. 216, Order Brith Abraham, held recently in the Red Men's hall, the following officers were elected: Barney Taylor, president; Ike Morris, vice president; Max Morris, recording secretary; B. E. Miller, finance secretary; S. J. Goldstein, treasurer; Simon L. Katzoff, medical examiner; F. Clein, outside guard.

These officers will be formally installed by District Deputy Grand Master Frank Revson on January 3 at the Red Men's hall.

DRUNKS AND FIREWORKS UNDER BAN CHRISTMAS

Good Will Be Good and Bad Must Be Good, Declares Chief

Under orders of Mayor Woodward and Chief Beavers, fireworks will not be permitted on the streets Christmas, and the firing of pistols or other firearms is absolutely prohibited anywhere in the city limits.

Orders to this effect were issued by the mayor and chief of police Wednesday afternoon. Chief Beavers also put the ban on "drunken debauchery and rowdyism," and Mayor Woodward put his veto on "bacchanalian revelry."

Chief Beavers' orders, issued to his men, follow:

"Christmas day truly should be a day of rejoicing and gladness for every one in Christendom, and should not be turned into drunken debauchery and rowdyism. Good people will not do this, and bad people must not.

"The men will be vigilant in enforcing the law prohibiting the carrying and discharging of firearms in the city during the holidays, and they will see that good order is preserved.

"No discharging of fireworks will be allowed in the streets or firearms in the city. The captains and sergeants will see that this order is strictly complied with. J. L. BEAVERS."

The mayor's manifesto reads:

"To the People of Atlanta: The 25th day of December being the birthday of our Savior, it has been proclaimed a holiday and should be properly observed by all Christian nations. Therefore, the same is proclaimed a holiday in this city. It is to be hoped that the people of Atlanta generally will observe the day in a proper spirit, and not use it as a time of bacchanalian revelry.

"The law as regards fireworks will be strictly enforced, and only small crackers and the like will be allowed, and they to be burned on the premises and homes of our children. Any one using the streets for such purposes will be subject to arrest, and the police department is hereby instructed to keep vigilant watch for all offenders, and, as far as in their power, to see that the day is properly observed.

"It is hereby made the duty of the chief of police to see that this regulation is carried out to the letter.

"J. G. WOODWARD,
"Mayor."

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SUBMARINE ATTACK MADE BY AUSTRIANS OFF ITALIAN COAST

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sur-Tourbe, and in the forest of Apremont.

The official communication reads as follows:

"From the sea to the Lys we made progress by sapping operations in the dunes, and we repulsed an attack in front of Lombaertzyde. At Zwartelan, to the southeast of Ypres, we occupied a group of houses and we drove back as far as the southern part of this village a counter attack on the enemy; this was done in spite of a very spirited fire from the German artillery.

"The Belgian army pushed forward certain detachments along the right bank of the Yser, to the south of Dixmude, and organized a defensive work protecting the head of a bridge.

"In the region of Arras the fog still made all operations impossible.

"To the east and to the southeast of Amiens, especially in the suburbs of Lassigny, there have been artillery exchanges.

"In the region of the Aisne the zouaves, during all day yesterday held back brilliantly a number of attacks; they remained masters at a point near the road of Puisleine, of the German trenches occupied by us December 21.

"In Champagne we strengthened the positions taken by us in our advance of the night before in the region of Craonne and Rheims.

"In the vicinity of Perthes, all the counter attacks of the enemy on the positions conquered by us December 22 were successfully repulsed. To the northwest of Mesnil-les-Hurlus we occupied German trenches for a distance of 400 yards, and we drove back a counter attack. The Germans endeavored to take offensive in the direction of Ville-sur-Tourbe, but our artillery dispersed them.

"In the Argonne we took possession of a piece of ground in the forest of La Grurie, and in the vicinity of Bagatelle we repulsed a German attack.

"In the region of Verdun the prevalence of fog made impossible the conduct of any operations of importance. The enemy delivered a counter attack, but without success, in the forest of Consenvoye.

"In the forest of Apremont our artillery demolished and caused the enemy to evacuate several trenches. In the Woovre district the French artillery reduced certain German batteries to silence.

"In the region of Ban de Sapt, to the northeast of St. Die our infantry advanced with a rush and established itself on the territory thus gained.

"There is nothing to report from upper Alsace.

"Russia: On the Bzura river the Germans have maintained themselves in two positions. On the contrary at a point north of Sochaczew, they were driven back to the river which flows to the southwest of this town. Their efforts to debouch from Balimov resulted in failures. At the present time the Germans are essaying to cross the river Rawka to the southeast of Skierniewce.

"To the south of Rawa the Germans are resisting stubbornly a pronounced Russian offensive movement being delivered along the northern bank of the river Pilica."

Russians Claim Capture Of 7,188 Officers and Men

(By Associated Press.)

PETROGRAD, Dec. 24.—A statement issued by the official press bureau today regarding the fighting along the Russian front says:

"On the left bank of the Pilica obstinate fighting continues in the region of the villages of Jesesze and Rojkowawolia, about six miles west of Nowemiasto.

"On the right bank of the Pilica we have made progress in the vicinity of Opoczno and Tomaszow.

"In Galicia our progress continues. South of the Vistula we captured, during the 20th and 21st 86 officers and 5,600 men, three cannon and ten mitrailleuses.

"In the Carpathians, while pursuing the retreating Austrians, we captured on December 22, 30 officers and about 1,500 men.

"Near Przemysl the Austrians attempted a new sortie during which several of their advance companies were completely annihilated. Other advance companies were made prisoners. In this affair we seized about a mile of railway leading into the city."

J. W. GRIFFIN, BANKER, WILL GET NEW TRIAL

Judgment of Lower Court in Which He Was Given Six Years Reversed

J. W. Griffin, president of the defunct Athens Trust and Banking company, who was indicted in connection with the failure of that bank, tried and convicted before Judge C. H. Brand, of the Clarke county superior court, and on July 3, 1913, sentenced to six years and six months in the penitentiary, will get a new trial.

Under rulings of the supreme court in response to the certified questions submitted by the court of appeals, and on account of error in the charge of the usperior court judge to the jury the appellate court Thursday morning reversed the judgment of the superior court in the Griffin case.

This case has been pending in the courts for months and has attracted state-wide attention. The appeal to the appellate court contained the sixty-two grounds urged in the motion for a new trial as well as other exceptions.

One of the rulings in connection with this case which the supreme court made in response to questions certified to it by the court of appeals defines the solvency of a bank within the meaning of the law.

The point had been made that a bank is insolvent when it is unable to pay a check drawn by one of its depositors who has sufficient funds to his credit.

In part the supreme court's ruling on this point was as follows:

"Within the meaning of the penal code, section 204, the insolvency of a bank is that condition in which its entire property and assets are insufficient to pay all of its debts.

"If the entire property and assets of the bank are sufficient to discharge its liabilities, it is not insolvent within the meaning of the penal code, secton 204, although it may not be able to pay its debts immediately as they become due or to pay its depositors on demand."

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Germans Admit Reverses in West, Claim Eastern Success

(By Associated Press.)

BERLIN, Dec. 24.—(By Wireless to London.)—The official communication issued today by the German general headquarters staff says:

"The enemy did not renew his attacks in the neighborhood of Nieuport yesterday. At Bixchoote we took 270 prisoners on December 22.

"The enemy was again active yesterday in the neighborhood of Chalons. Infantry attacks followed a fierce artillery attack made by the enemy in the regions of Souain and Perthes. These were repulsed.

"A trench kept under continuous artillery fire by the enemy was lost by us but was recaptured in the evening. The position was abandoned after this successful counter attack because parts of the trenches had been almost leveled by the enemy's fire. More than one hundred prisoners were left in our hands.

"In the east we have assumed the offensive and are advancing from Neidenburg and Soldau (in east Prussia). We have repulsed the Russians after several days' fighting at Mlawa (northern Poland), and the enemy's positions at Mlawa again are in our hands. More than 1,000 prisoners were taken in these battles.

"At the confluence of the Bzura and Rawka rivers fierce bayonet attacks took place at many places. The artillery could do little on account of the misty weather.

"The Russians suffered heavy losses on the right bank of the Pilica river in the district to the southeast of Tomaszow. The Russians attacked fiercely several times but were repulsed by the Austro-German armies with heavy losses.

"Further to the south the situation generally is unchanged."

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FIVE PEOPLE DIE IN N. Y. TENEMENT FIRE

Mother, Three Sons and Niece Trapped on Top Story

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Five members of a family living on the top floor of a five-story tenement on West 49th street, were trapped in a fire early today that started in the basement and spread rapidly.

The dead are Mrs. Mary Corso, forty-eight years old, her three sons and her niece.

The only surviving member of the family, Arthur Corso, a telegraph operator at the Polyclinic nospital, was on duty when the fire started and ordered out ambulances and surgeons to the scene.

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POLICE GIVE RECORDER VALUABLE DIAMOND RING

Attorney Madison Bell Presents Gift in Very Touching Speech

Judge George E. Johnson, who has just completed his first month as recorder of the city of Atlanta, was the recipient Thursday at 1:30 o'clock, of a handsome diamond ring—a Christmas gift—from the membership of the police force, uniformed men, plain clothes men and detectives all contributing.

The speech of presentation was delivered by Attorney Madison Bell, a life-long friend of Judge Johnson, and one of Atlanta's prominent lawyers. His address, delivered in his usual happy fashion, follows:

"Gentlemen of the Police Department:

"I would be untrue to my feelings if I did not take this opportunity to express to you my high sense of appreciation for the honor you have conferred in choosing me as your spokesman on this occasion.

"I have always cherished a very high regard for those officials, wherever found, whose constancy, bravery and fidelity insure to a community the protection of life, liberty and property. It is a singular pleasure in thus representing a police department of a great city like Atlanta, a department which in manliness, cleanliness and adherence to duty is the equal, if not the superior, of any other in this country.

"It is also with a degree of personal pride that I undertake to assume this responsibility, for the honored recipient of your gift is one whom I have known, respected and admired since the days of my childhood.

"Twenty-five years ago, I remember George E. Johnson as a candy manufacturer and I recall the numerous times when returning to his home after his day's work he would be surrounded by children of the neighborhood and the sweets that made their hearts glad were freely given them. Pardon the personal allusion when I mention the fact that I was always among the crowd and generally received my share.

PLAYHOUSE FOR CHILDREN.

"Few people in general know that next to his home this kindly man for twenty years has owned a valuable corner lot and upon it he has only a cunning little log cabin to be used solely as a plaything and source of pleasure for all the children of that section. His only profit is the profit that's worth more than money for he is the possessor of that divine-like feeling that must come only to those who along life's way have unselfishly contributed their part toward making others happy.

"So this new movement which he has just started in this city to see that the poor who are hungry shall be fed is but the blooming forth of a flower long sustained by an affectionate warmth from his generous heart.

"The mighty Creator, the great and all powerful Recorder, who presides beyond the dip of human vision, surveys the world as His court, but His jurisdiction encompasses the universe. Over the animate and inanimate His watchful eyes glances in tenderness and mercy and his gentle touch moves and directs through noble purposes the power and forces of nature. No rivulet though born beneath the foot of a far distant mountain ever wended in babbling way its journey to the briny deep without exerting some good along its tedious course. No twinkling light ever flashed across the bosom of the azure heavens unless in its journey some influence was bestowed. But mankind with his reason and his faculties carves his own short journey and moulds independently his own quick destiny. Should he, the greatest of all exemplification of nature's work, be content with the mere hum-drum of existence? Can't some little good be done on his short journey?

"I have seen men who in life could command enormous riches, but in death only the sympathy of their own immediate family. I have seen in this community another man untimely called to his Maker, leaving a mortgage on his home, but he had so lived that at his death a whole nation was bowed in grief.

"Opportunities to do good are offered to all classes. Less happiness is the lot that befalls the one who is in a position to benefit others and through selfishness or false pride omits to act.

FAITH IN HUMANITY.

"If there is a power that really shapes the destinies of men, then the people of this city were but an instrument to place this man in a position where responsibility and influence would better aid him to carry out to a proper fulfillment some of his kindly and noble purposes in life. In less than two months he has convinced the good people of this community that he has faith and hope in the final betterment of a creature however unfortunate. With the spirit of a samaritan and not with the whip lash of the law does he meet the law-breakers. He knows the difference between a malicious violator of the statute and the unintentional infractor of the criminal code. He thus is able to temper justice with mercy and with a conscious public to uphold him, this man occupying the position of recorder of the city of Atlanta can do more genuine good and will do more good than all the combined charity organizations in this city.

"Woe to that politician who whispers the hellish thought that more revenue should come from this department. Let the machinery that runs the affairs of this city clog with rust and despair before financial lubrication is unjustly wrung from the pocketbooks of the poor and depressed who face ths court.

"The great Napoleon—the man who knew men—who commanded men who had an opportunity to test men, when exiled on the Island of St. Helena, said that after all in life is summed up, the two greatest of all virtues are love and loyalty.

"Human beings live but a brief time but they live long enough for their friends to gauge to the depth the merit of their qualities.

"Judge Johnson for twenty years as police commissioner, you have shown your faith, you have proved your loyalty to the members of the police force of this city. You have been their sympathizers, friend and wise counsellor. Since assuming the duties of the office you now hold you have manifested toward them a spirit of brotherly good will which they deeply appreciate. In testimonial of their love and esteem they present to you this beautiful diamond ring to which every member of the police department has contributed toward its purchase. It is representative of the idea that on your journey through life you have already done much good.

"As you wear it in your judicial role day after day, in trial after trial, may the bright and brilliant beams that emanate from it be but significant of the ray of hope that we all know will come from you as you mete out justice to your fellow man."

Fire at Stone Mountain

STONE MOUNTAIN, Ga., Dec. 24.—The Stone Mountain Milling company plant was destroyed by fire last night at 7 o'clock; loss about $10,000. The ginnery situated near by was saved, although damaged. Origin of the fire is unknown.

GREAT FEAST IS PLANNED FOR INMATES OF PRISONS

Friday Is Holiday With Big Doings in Federal Pen, Tower and Stockade

Twelve hundred prisoners, confined in the city stockade, the county jail, and the federal penitentiary, will feast royally Christmas day.

In the light of the Christmas program at the federal prison, the recent desperate attempts of J. H. Pendley, of Lithonia, to break back into the prison at any cost seem very reasonable indeed. For the 867 convicts under Uncle Sam's and Warden Moyer's care will have a Christmas any one might envy.

Work stopped in the federal prison Thursday at noon and will not be resumed until Saturday morning. Christmas morning at 10 o'clock the convicts will be treated to a six-reel movie film, "The Last Days of Pompeii," followed by up-to-the-minute vaudeville. This will be furnished by the Massell agency, under the management of Billy Ellwood.

When this entertainment ends at noon the great event of the day will begin. First will come oyster stew—857 oyster stews; then roast young turkey with savory dressing and cranberry sauce; giblet stew, flanked with mashed Irish potatoes, will be accompanied by bread, butter and coffee with milk and sugar. A thousand oranges and nearly a thousand mince pies will end the feast.

Following this, all who are able will adjourn to the athletic field inside the prison walls where the prison soccer team will play an outside team. If the weather does not permit this, moving pictures will be shown in the auditorium.

Scores of fat and juicy shoats died Thursday to feed the 225 prisoners in the county jail Christmas. Roast pig, that inspirer of Charles Lamb, will be the main course at the dinner, served at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Enough pigs have been killed to allow a pound and a half to each prisoner. Baked potatoes and coffee complete the menu. After dinner, it is expected that Sheriff Mangum's boarders will sleep the sleep of the boa constrictor.

In the city stockade, where there are only 125 prisoners, the smallest number for Christmas time in five years, according to Superintendent T. B. Lanford, pork stew, baked potatoes, rutabaga turnips with pork, oranges, apples and candy will be the dinner menu. No work other than that absolutely necessary to run the stockade will be indulged in.

In addition to this dinner, Superintendent Lanford will supply a fine breakfast of fried pork, wheat bread, syrup and coffee.

Mr. Lanford said that six or seven prisoners had already left the stockade on Christmas pardons from Recorder Johnson, and that several more may leave Christmas day.

CHRISTMAS DAY WILL BE CLOUDY AND COOL

Showers Likely, but No Freeze in Sight, Says Weather Man

As was Christmas eve, so will Christmas day be so far as the weather is concerned.

At any rate that is the information given out by Official Forecaster von Herrmann Thursday, and he ought to know.

The big holiday, he says, will be cloudy and gloomy, with possible showers, but not enough to hurt. The temperature is also expected to remain stationery, or in the neighborhood of 440 degrees Fahrenheit, the same as it was at 2 p. m. today.

It is possible, said Mr. Von Herrmann, that Christmas night there will be a slight drop in the mercury.

Old Time "White" Christmas Slated for the East

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—An old-time "white" Christmas was forecast today for most of the northern states, but throughout the south the government experts predicted a rainy holiday to be possibly relieved at some points by a little snow. In the east gulf and south Atlantic states the barometer told of threatened rains, while in the central south chilling rains or snow were forecast.

Snow, it was said, might be seen in some sections as far south as Mississippi.

Cold wave warnings fluttered today in Kentucky, West Virginia, Ohio and western Pennsylvania.

SCHOOL BOARD TO ASK $700,000 NEXT YEAR

Miss Lila Stamps Named Chief Clerk of Department to Succeed Mrs. Leslie

The board of education held a special session Wednesday afternoon to elect a chief clerk in the office of Superintendent W. M. Slaton, and to discuss the budget of the school department which will be presented to the 1915 council.

While definite figures have not been fixed, the department will ask council next year for at least $700,000, which is $100,000 more than the appropriation to the department this year.

Miss Lila Stamps was named chief clerk to succeed Mrs. Ethel M. Leslie, resigned. Miss Stamps was nominated by Superintendent Slaton, and there was no opposition to her.

The board will hold another meeting Tuesday and then the 1915 budget will be formally agreed on. In addition the board will adopt a schedule showing exactly how the school department will utilize the $1,000,000 apportioned to it in event the proposed bond issue carries.

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NO EMERALD HOSE IN "GREEN STOCKINGS," DESPITE ITS NAME

MISS PERCY HASWELL.

Miss Percy Haswell, Shopping at Rich's, Chats of Her Play and Its Rather Odd Title

Why do they call it "Green Stockings?"

The clerk at the Ansley hotel said he understood it was because all the chorus girls wore green stockings. But such is ever the way of hotel clerks.

And the second clerk declared it was because the heroine was clad in hose of emerald hue. But he admitted it was only conjecture.

"You find Miss Haswell herself," he said. "She's about the only one can tell you."

This was on Wednesday, and much speculation had been rife over the title of this particular comedy that has never been seen in Atlanta, but which Miss Percy Haswell plays here Christmas afternoon and night. "Green Stockings" was an alluring name, but—indefinite.

Balked at the Ansley, the reporter finally found Miss Haswell in Rich's store. She was buying Christmas presents, for although she is the president of the Bype society of Cleveland—which means Buy Your Presents Early—a hurried departure from New York had forced her to wait until the last minute to lay in a supply of gifts.

"Not that I mind one bit," she smiled. "You have just as beautiful things right here in Atlanta as we have in our Fifth avenue stores. I've been having a glorious time here. Two years ago, when I played vaudeville at the Grand, Atlanta wasn't such a wonderful town. But now—why, I've found just everything I wanted here at Rich's, and lots and lots of things I want, but just can't get.

"Why is it called 'Green Stockings?' Well, to tell the truth, there isn't a green stocking in the show. It's a comedy, you see, something on the order of Pinero's plays. And it gets its name from the old custom which says the eldest sister of a family shall wear green stockings at the wedding of her younger sisters. There is an elder sister in this play, an old maid, and she hates the green stockings idea. She is a drudge, a goat, and the only one of the sisters who has no beau.

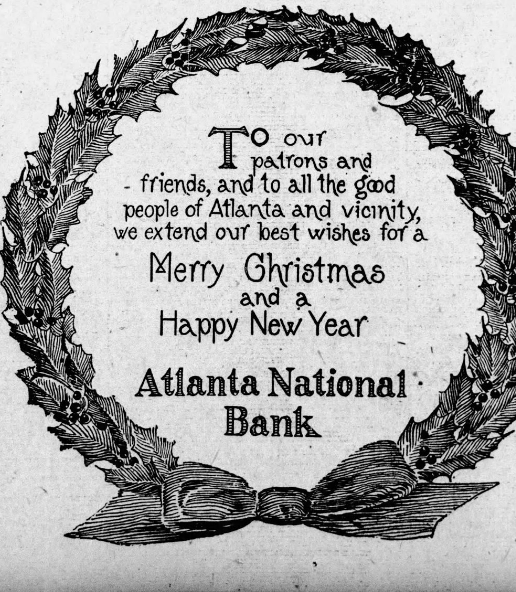
"Finally, she revolts against her condition, and tells her sisters she is engaged to be married, that she doesn't care now, she'll wear green stockings at as many weddings as they want her to. Of course, this isn't so; but it has the effect of making her desirable to all her sisters' friends, and in the end her true love comes along.

"But the green stockings? There isn't a pair of them to be seen."

HARVEY JORDAN WORKING TO AID COTTON MARKET

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 24.—Harvey Jordan, of Atlanta, former president of the Southern Cotton association, is in Birmingham today on his way home from Texas, where he has been working on his plan to retire $2,000,000 worth of cotton from the market.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ATLANTA CHURCHES WILL HAVE SPECIAL SERVICES

Number of Interesting Programs Have Been Arranged for Xmas Day

Special Christmas services will be held in nearly all the churches of Atlanta Friday morning, with the exception of the Methodist. The members of this denomination do not observe Christmas day, holding their services on the Sunday before or the Sunday after Christmas, as most convenient.

The Presbyterian churches of the city will hold a union service at the North Avenue church. All the Presbyterian ministers will be present and will take some part in the service. The address will be delivered by Dr. Dunbar H. Ogden, of the Central church. Dr. J. S. Lyons, of the First church, will preside. This service will start at 11 o'clock and will last about one hour. A special offering will be taken for the Thornwell orphanage, at Clinton, S. C., maintained by Presbyterians.

Many of the Baptist churches will hold services on Thursday night; some on Friday night, and some on Sunday.

Following their usual custom, the services in the Episcopal churches will be most elaborate. The Christmas services rank second only to the Easter services.

ST. LUKE'S PROGRAM.

At St. Luke's Episcopal church communion will be observed at 7:30 o'clock Friday morning. Morning prayer and sermon will be held at 10:30 o'clock. The full vested choir of the church will render the Christmas music. This service will be the most ornate ever given in St. Luke's. Following is the program:

Service prelude, "Nazareth"—Gounod—Violins, piano and organ.

Processional hymn No. 49—Reading.

Venite, Exultemus Domino—Russell-Elvey.

Te Deum Laudamus—Cecil Poole—Partly adapted from Gounod's Messo Solennelle.

Jubilate Deo—Cecil Poole.

Introit, Hymn No. 51—Mendelssohn.

Offertory Anthem, "Christian, Awake" Maunder.

Presentation anthem, Hallejuh Chorus—Handel.

Sevenfold Amen—Stainer.

Retrocessional Hymn No. 54—Traditional.

HOLY COMMUNION.

All Saints Episcopal church has been artistically decorated for the Christmas services. The holy communion will be held at 7:30 a. m. and communion and sermon will be held at 11 o'clock. Special Christmas music has been arranged for the day, including a Christmas anthem dedicated to the choir of All Saints which will be sung for the first time.

The program:

Processional hymn.

Communion service in A—Eyre.

Kyrie.

Gloria tibi.

Sanctus.

Agnus Dei.

Credo.

Gloria in excelsis. hymn, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing."

Ocertory anthem, "The Grace of God"—Stewart.

Amen after the blessing—Traditional.

Nunc Dimittis—Tours.

Recessional hymn.

Festival postlude.

The Christmas offering at All Saints will be for the aged and infirm clergy of the diocese of Atlanta.

Sacred Heart Catholic church will hold masses every half hour from 5 until 11 a. m. Solemn high mass will be held at 11 o'clock. There will be no evening services.

At the Church of the Immaculate Conception solemn high mass will be said at 7 a. m. The double male quartet will sing. Masses will be held at 8:30 a. m., 9 a. m., and 10 a. m. Following the 10 o'clock mass, Father Kennedy will give the benediction of the most blessed sacrament. There will be no evening service.

Under the direction of Mrs. May Madden, the following program will be given at St. Anthony's Catholic church Christmas morning at 9:15 o'clock: Mass in M Major, William Ashmall. Offertory, "Laetentur Coeli," Hammeril. Benediction service, "O Salutaris," Dubois. "Tantum Ergo," Dubois. 'Laudate Dominum," plain chant.

St. Philip's cathedral will hold communion at 8 a. m. and communion and sermon at 10:30 a. m.

Church of the Incarnation, Episcopal, will hold communion at 7:30 a. m., and communion and sermon at 10:30 a. m.

Church of the Holy Innocents, Episcopal, will hold communion at 10:30 o'clock Christmas morning. Special music will be a feature.

Church of the Holy Comforter, Episcopal, will hold communion at 7:30 a. m. and communion and sermon at 10:20 a. m.

At St. Timothy's church, Dr. Russell K. Smith, rector, holy communion will be held at 8 a. m. No other service.

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Vessels Anchored Off Peru Believed En Route to South American Port

(By Associated Press.)

LIMA, Peru, Dec. 24.—The Japanese battleship Hizen, accompanied by a Japanese destroyer and several English merchantmen has anchored seven miles off Puerto de Pisura, on the northern coast of Peru. The warships probably are convoying the merchantmen to some South American port.

BROAD STREET TO HAVE "WHITE WAY LIGHTS"

Work of Installation From Marietta to Mitchell Will Begin at Once

The work of installing "white way lights" on Broad street from Marietta to Mitchell street will commence at once, according to R. R. Otis, chairman of a citizens' committee, who says all property owners on the thoroughfare are pledged to pay their portion of the cost of installation.

The white lights have been installed on Broad street north of Marietta to the end of the street for some months, and a "white way" along the entire street will soon be a reality.

The following committee has been working for some time on the project: R. R. Otis, Captain J. W. English, J. H. Boylston, Charles C. Murphy and Colonel W. L. Peel.

Gore, Ga., P. A. Morgan had occasion recently to use a liver medicine and says of Foley Cathartic Tablets: "They thoroughly cleansed my system and I felt like a new man—light and free. They are the best medicine I have ever taken for constipation. They keep the stomach sweet, liver active, bowels regular." Foley Cathartic Tablets are stimulating in action, and thoroughly cleansing, and keep the liver active. Stout people like them. Sold everywhere.—(Advt.)

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Where is that fine Christmas weather?

He's an exceptional man who can't find something to swear off New Year's.

Norway, Sweden and Denmark.

Norway, Sweden and Denmark are counseling together for safety against the perils of the great war. They have noted the fact that the treaty vouchsafing Belgium's neutrality was thrust aside as "a scrap of paper," when it stood in the way of military designs and royal ambition. They recall that a generation ago Prussia contrived on the flimsiest pretexts a war against Denmark, and that the little kingdom lost a duchy and two provinces. They fear that in the present upheaval, and possibly in its aftermath, the rights of the small State would stand a slim chance, should a large Power choose to invade them. And so these neutral countries, which alone would be well-nigh helpless alone, are considering plans for their common welfare and defense.

To what definite measures or results these conferences will lead, is uncertain. But if the Scandinavian peoples forget their past differences and form a defensive alliance, based upon common needs and racial kinship, they will have a strength which no Power could lightly disregard. Furthermore, they could exert considerable influence in the affairs of the Continent.

There's one kind of crop we can all raise—the crop of good cheer.

Remember the more the rain falls now, the more the sun will shine some day.

The South's Oil Resources.

As an example of the range and variety of Southern resources, the New Orleans Times-Picayune notes the fact that five States of this section, Kentucky, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Texas and West Virginia, furnish, in value of output, approximately one-half of the petroleum produced in the United States. "It is only a question of time and a very short time at that" this newspaper observes, "when the country and the world will largely depend on these five Southern States for petroleum which has become so important that an abundance or shortage in its supply is seriously influencing the war conditions in Europe."

Commenting upon these facts the Louisville Courier-Journal says:

> "The oil industry in the South is comparatively new. A few years ago no one would have thought seriously of Louisiana as an oil State, but Louisiana's annual output now exceeds that of West Virginia and in Louisiana as in Kentucky there is much promising oil territory that has not been touched. The value of Louisiana's output has almost doubled in the last seven years and is now only slightly behind that of Texas. Oklahoma leads so largely that its prestige as an oil State is assured for many years to come.

The South is wondrously rich not only in agricultural wealth but also in those natural resources on which industrial development depends. Its enormous supply of fuel and of valuable ores leave no doubt that this region will become one of the world's great centers of manufacturing.

And the fullest stocking of all should be that belonging to the shop-girl and the clerk.

Some are born foolish, some achieve foolishness, but the large majority have foolishness thrust upon them.

Back in Paris.

The parliament of France has reassembled at Paris, where most of the Government offices, which were moved hurriedly to Bordeaux last summer, have been re-established. The siege that seemed imminent a few months ago no longer is feared. The invaders, having failed in their bold dash toward the capital, have been pressed farther and farther east and, at some points, have been driven beyond the frontier. France breathes freely again, though her eye to the future is none the less wary.

The present session of the Parliament will be brief, harmonious and comparatively uneventful. All the political parties have cried truce to their differences, which in ordinary times are so heated and insistent. Most of the functions of the Government, at least those functions which now are most important, have been absorbed by the army. "Joffre," it has been well said, "is for the time being King in France, as Kitchener is in England."

Yet, the return of the Government to Paris is none the less impressive as a sign of the nation's reassurance and of its deliverance from dangers that once threatened to overwhelm. "Christmas cannot be merry in a Paris that mourns its thousands dead," says the New York World, "but things are not so bad as late August promised. The country was not crushed at the first desperate attempt. It cannot now be conquered or dismembered. Of serious invasion Paris is in no more danger than London. This year is not 1870. The new year will be sombre, but it will not be another 1871."

A Wise Postponement Of the Bond Question.

Council has done wisely in deferring action on the proposed bond issue. Under the financial conditions which now prevail, the marketing of three million dollars worth of municipal bonds would be a very grave and difficult venture; and in the public's present frame of mind, the chances of a bond issue at the polls would be extremely doubtful. It is therefore fortunate for all the interests involved that Council has moved cautiously in this matter; its successors in office will do well to imitate the example.

True there is undeniable need of improvement and expansion in several departments of the city's affairs, especially in that of schools, and those needs should be met as soon and as liberally as circumstances allow. But a bond issue undertaken at the wrong time and destined to failure would not solve these problems; it would merely complicate them and make real relief more difficult to obtain. It will be far better to await favorable conditions, even though the interim has its hardships, than to hazard the defeat of bonds in the election, or the sale of them on disadvantageous terms.

The market for all manner of securities has been depressed by the war in Europe. It is only within the last few weeks that the New York stock exchange has resumed operation, and it has been compelled as a matter of safety to adopt minimum price levels. Is it probable that under these conditions city bonds could be disposed of on a satisfactory basis? Rather, it is likely that Atlanta would have to sell its securities below par, if at all, with a consequent loss of, perhaps, a quarter of a million dollars. It would be possible, of course, to specify that the bonds should not be sold below a certain figure but if that price could not be obtained the whole plan would crumble; and the city would be far worse off than now.

The Journal heartily favors every feasible plan to upbuild the school system or to accomplish other needed improvements. But the vital importance of these interests themselves should deter the city from embarking them upon stormy and uncertain waters. The present Council has shown good sense and foresight in postponing the bond question. The incoming Council should be equally prudent.

Of course the tomato can but sometimes it doesn't.

Some people have excellent tempers when they are asleep.

All of us can't get under the mistletoe but at least we can look the other way at the proper time.

The Extraordinary Demand for Horses.

If Europe's extraordinary demand for American horses and mules continues, it may become necessary to adopt unusual measures to protect our own needs. France recently placed in the United States an order for one hundred and fifty thousand horses, and that is but one among many such deals already effected or in prospect. In the event of a prolonged war, these purchases will reach far into the millions, with the result of serious handicaps to farming and other pursuits in this country.

Despite the wonderful increase in the use of motor vehicles, the industrial value of the horse has in no wise lessened. On the contrary, the demand for horses has advanced steadily during the very period that has witnessed the development of the automobile. In 1900, according to the federal census, there were twenty-one million, two hundred and three thousand, nine hundred and one horses in the United States, with an aggregate value of one billion, fifty million, five hundred and twenty-six thousand dollars; in 1910, the number was something less than twenty million and the aggregate in excess of two billion; and within that decade the average price of the horse more than doubled.

There were divers predictions not many years ago that horses and mules would become obsolete, most of their tasks being taken over by the gasoline engine. And as a matter of fact, the automobile and kindred machines are now doing much of the work for which horses were once indispensable, and are doing it more economically. For that very circumstance, however, it is the more interesting and significant that the demand for horses has increased continually and their value grown more and more pronounced.

He is a fortunate man who can catch up with his ambitions and his debts.

Unquestionably women would be the most gossipy sex in the world, if it wasn't for the men.

What has become of the old-fashioned grouch who thought it wrong for children to believe in Santa Claus?

Some men drink because they feel bad, others because they feel good. And both kinds are likely to feel a lot worse in the morning.

Editorial Echoes

"To cure a cold," says Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, "take a bottle of cough medicine, set it on a table in the patient's room, open all of the windows and throw the bottle of medicine out of one of them." "Three-quarters of the children who die are killed by coddling," asserts the health expert. "Love is the greatest assassin." Dr. Wiley states crisply what thousands of physicians have drummed into the heads of their patients and those of the public for a long time. But there persists a very general distrust of fresh air and a profound conviction that a high temperature indoors and a great deal of wrapping up out of doors, in addition to a plenitude of "flannels" at all times, constitute the best combination against the machinations of winter.—Courier-Journal.

The Belgian Diary Of an American

BY E. A. CANTRELL.

(Mr. Cantrell, who was born in Kentucky, lived in Belgium seventeen years. He was in Brussels when the Germans began the siege of Liege, and he witnessed all the preliminary panic of the Belgians in Brussels and other cities. He had remarkable experiences in various parts of Belgium during the war. At the end he spent several weeks as a soldier in the trenches before Antwerp. He was in the panic when the German bombardment of the city began, and was with the 400,000 frenzied Belgians who rushed to the Dutch border.)

BEDFORD SQUARE, London, Sept. 27.—It was about two kilometers and a half to Gramont from where the driver was shot and the Uhlans stuck a pistol under my nose. The firing died down, and by the time we got in to the town things were pretty quiet, the Belgians having retreated over toward Gamarage. I was leading the horse to forestall any attempt on his part to have another fit of blind staggers.

Gramont had been all shot to pieces. There were dead here and there, both peasants and soldiers, and probably half the buildings were in ruins. I led the horse into the court yard of a little inn, helped Mrs. Cantrell down, and we went into the main room. The Germans had been there.

The landlord, I guessed, lay dead and all sprawled on the floor. The Germans had got some casks of beer up from the cellar, drunk what they wanted, and left the spigots running. The floor was covered with blood and beer. Mrs. Cantrell was trembling. I led her past the dead man and put her in a chair in one corner, facing the wall, and told her not to look around.

Just as I stepped to the door I saw a Belgian soldier, most likely a stranger, run into the street from somewhere. He kenlt down and began to fire up the road along which we had just come. He shot twice and then fell over, dead.

Way up the road there was a party of fifty or more Uhlans. They had halted at the firing, and a detail of eleven men was coming back. They were dismounted and while they came cautiously down the road I saw another Belgian soldier sneak up to a house on the opposite side of the street.

The house was in ruins. The soldier looked around and then went up to a chicken coop in a sort of yard and called softly:

"Marie! Marie!"

A young woman and a couple of children popped out of the chicken coop. The youngsters were all over the man in a minute, and he kissed and patted them while his wife hung around his neck, and I could hear her urging him to go away, and telling him that she and the children were all right. It seems that he had left his command at Gamarage and taken a chance of running against the Germans to see his family.

That Belgian marched out to the middle of the road, cool and deliberate, and opend fire. He got three of the Uhlans and was wounded once himself before they got to him. By that time he had toppled over, but there was lots of fight left in him. The Germans went after him with bayonets and gun butts, but he fought and fought. It seemed as though they never could kill him. Finally he lay still. His wife and children went screaming off across the fields, and the officer in charge of the Uhlans ran over to me and jabbed an automatic against my stomach—it's a habit they have.

I showed my papers, but he wasn't satisfied, and he pushed in with some of his men. I don't speak German very well, although Mrs. Cantrell does, and this officer, strangely enough, did not speak French. For a minute I thought he was going to grab Mrs. Cantrell by the wrist and I said to myself, "Here's where I never see America again!"

But he didn't. She turned around, trembling so she could hardly sit in the chair—it was from illness, not fright—and began to talk German. The officer cooled down and went away after telling us how foolish we were. I went into the court yard and found that the horse's illness, whatever it was, had grown worse. So with Mrs. Cantrell, Bunco, and two bags I set out to walk to Gamarage, about two kilometers. It began to rain.

In Gamarage we found a little two-car train just ready to star for Ghent. Scores were trying to get on board and it was everybody for himself. There were a lot of women and children crying. Some had almost no clothes on and a good many didn't have any money. Some of the women who had lost their husbands were so crazed that they did nothing but cry and repeat over and over, "Oh, my joor Jan!" Or it might be Jeff or some other name.

Finally we succeeded in getting into a third-class compartment. The two wooden benches on each side were crowded and every bit of standing room was taken. Every time the jerky little train would start or stop those standing would be thrown in the laps of those who were seated. The smell of the packed compartment was a new one to me. Some of the women and children were moaning or crying all the time. Bunco began to yelp for a drink.

Nothing happened until about 4 o'clock, when we drew into Melle, on the outskirts of Ghent. There was street fighting there.

The train had been making long stops at intervals and it had been raining off and on. In Melle the train stopped and we could look off across the railroad yards to where a street ran parallel with the tracks. It was not very far away and you could see the faces of the soldiers plainly.

The Germans were advancing slowly down the street, driving the Belgians, who would make a stand against big odds, scamper around a block and make another stand, and repeat. Every time a man fell a priest would run out from cover of the houses, regardless of the bullets that ricocheted through the puddles in the street. If the man were dead the priest would go back, if not he would raise his arm as a signal to Red Cross stretcher-bearers. Those priests are brave men.

On the tail end of one retreat, just as the Belgians were going around a corner, we saw a soldier drop behind a little. His wife was running along on the sidewalk carrying a baby. They seemed to be talking to each other.

The Germans were gaining, but just as he reached the other corner the little Belgian dropped on one knee to fire and his wife stopped. Before he could shoot they got him. He toppled over and his rifle went off in a mud puddle.

The woman ran into the street and reached down, holding the baby on one arm. She pulled the Belgian up, but he sagged back limp on his face. The woman set the baby on the dead man's back and straightened up. Just then the baby doubled over and rolled into the mud dead. I can see that woman now as she stood tanned, gaunt, bareheaded with both hands. She seemed bewildered.

All of a sudden she grabbed her husband's rifle and lay down in the mud and began to fire at the Germans. She fired fast, and after every shot she'd bob her head up to see if she'd got one. Just then the train started with a jerk. Some of us leaned out of the window, but we passed out of sight with that woman still lying there and fighting the German army single-handed.

In Ghent they told us there would be no train to Ostend that night and then the officials changed their minds and said there would be. The station was crowded with refugees, and while we were waiting a couple of Belgian soldiers brought a wounded German prisoner through. He had one leg and his head bandaged, and they had to half carry him. In a minute the crowd attacked the guards and there was some pretty rough fighting for a few minutes. If the mob had ever got that German they would have torn him to pieces.

Well, there was a train, after all, and we got to Ostend about 11 o'clock, tired but happy in the foolish belief that we were out of danger. We found a good hotel near the big fish market, had dinner and went to bed.

Just as I was getting to sleep there was a heavy but rather distant report. I sat up. Then came a roar and a jar that shook the hotel and broke every pane of glass in our room. I heard a whir that sounded as loud as the motors of ten automobiles. Before I could get dressed and down to the street there was another explosion, but not so loud as the second.

The streets were full of people crying "Taube! Taube!" A German Zeppelin had just dropped four bombs on Ostend.

After I found that the bombs had stopped dropping I went back to bed. The next morning Mrs. Cantrell pointed to the wall and said: "That wasn't there last night."

It was a splinter of iron, driven into the plaster, that had evidently come from the second bomb. I dug it out and put it in my pocket. It had struck right over the bed.

It seems there had been a lot of ammunition stored in the railroad station the night before the Zeppelin came, and the Germans had probably learned of it through spies. The first bomb fell in the diamond-shaped garden in front of the station and tore an enormous hole. The second hit the covered fish market, near our hotel and smashed it to kindling wood. The third bomb fell on the sand along the seashore and failed to explode. It was about three feet long and weighted at one end so it would fall straight down and explode by contact. The fourth bomb hit near a pier and did considerable damage.

I hunted around that day until I found an ex-policeman whom I knew. I wanted a place to board Bunco, for the English law prevents bringing him here. The ex-policeman took him, and I paid a few weeks in advance. Bunco kicked, and I felt pretty bad to leave him, but there wasn't any other way. That night I went into a cafe in the Grande place and ordered a drink. Before the waiter could brinng it there was a sound like ten motor cars in the air, and everybody ran out to the street. Some took to the cellars, but nothing happened except that in about five minutes every light in Ostend was out. I never did get that drink.

I learned that a lot of English and French monoplanes had been parked outside of the city, waiting for a Zeppelin attack. But they didn't go up either night.

Yesterday, the 26th, we came over on a channel boat. Now that Mrs. Cantrell is settled here I think I'll go back and see if I can't get some of my stuff out.

How Morra, the Italian National Game, Is Played

We are apt to look on marbles as the most economical game, says a writer in the January Strand, but "Morra" is perhaps the most economical game in the world, for it demands nothing but a pair of hands. The players each throw out the right hand, with a number of fingers extended. Then each has to call "five," "three," "eight," or any number that he considers equal to the number of fingers extended by himself and his opponent added together. In this lies the test, for an old hand can divine by the very turn of his opponent's fingers how many he is going to extend. Whenever a player guesses the right total in any throw he counts it on his left hand by folding in a finger of that hand. It takes nine such correct guesses by one player to make a game. This game is proscribed by law if practised in public, hence the devotees betake themselves to alleys and by-ways. From the silence of these regions there comes the tell-tale howling of the raucous players. As game succeeds game, and the wine they play for is consumed, the play becomes more intense, the cries more hoarse and loud, so that one would imagine they were dogs barking. No game is older than this—even chess must yield the palm for antiquity—and yet it is as popular and as primitive today as when first played on the banks of the Nile.

Good Drama and the "Box Office"

The box office is the only meter of public approval; a thousand people every night must give evidence of their support before the author can say he has delivered his message. If he reaches only a few hundred he has missed the major part of the dramatist's task, and he knows that no play which creates and holds interest can be bad drama just as no play wich does not draw people to the theater can be good drama. Even if a play has every literary and ethical virtue and does not reach the mass, it fails as drama, by failing in drama's first essential, the power of reaching the mass. We who hold this view have no argument with him who believes in a special dramatic art for a limited circle. Such drama will always exist contemporaneously with that of the nation; it may even, to a slight degree, influence popular demand and thus become a shaping force in the larger art, but the line of demarcation between "closet drama" and real drama is sharply defined, and separates clearly those plays which are luxuries of the specially cultured from those which fulfill drama's true function. It is proper for any limited group to support such entertainment as it will, but it is highly improper for them to insist on popular appreciation beyond the intellectual capacity of the average auditor and, further, to urge recognition by the public that which is unsuited to the public need. And they may not deny that public the right to define its own need.—William C. De Mille in the January Yale Review.

Southey on "Writing for Posterity"

No one embraced more heartily than Southey and promulgated more constantly the dictum that the great author must create his own audience, and that the opinion of contemporaries must be of little or no value. As late as 1831 he expressed his thorough conviction that they who seek anxiously the applause of their own age must be contented with it, for they would never have that of any succeeding one. "Many years must elapse," he wrote at another time, "before the opinion of the few can become the law of the many." To posterity the poet must always be looking, forgetting that posterity has so much laid upon its shoulders by the living who are demanding its attention, that it has but comparatively little leisure left it to rehabilitate the dead. His state of mind, as revealed in his correspondence, shows the slow declension of confidence in immediate success into almost absolute hopelessness; and there would be something saddening in watching the gradual decadence of high-wrought expectation, were not such feelings counteracted by observing the steady increase which went on in his own self-estimate. There can, indeed, be found in his earlier correspondence one half-hearted doubt expressed as to the absolute supremacy of his portion. This was in 1811. In a letter of that year to Grosvenor Bedford, he modestly disavowed the character which that friend had given him in an article on "The Curse of Kehama," written for the Quarterly Review, but never printed. "I wish," he wrote in serious remonstrance, "you would not call me the most sublime poet of the age, because on this point both Wordsworth and Landor are at least my equals. You will not suspect me of any mock-modesty in this. On the whole I shall have done greater things than either, but not because I possess greater powers."—Prof. Thomas R. Lounsbury in the January Yale Review.

KNOCKING

Simeon Stubbs was a knocker;
  Wasn't a thing about town
Wuth Simeon's old willow rocker—
  Allus a-runnin' it down
Growed on him—growed to a habit;
  Do you suggest what you would,
Out come his hammer; with joy he would grab it—
  Knocked when the knockin' was good.

Town held a rousin' mass meetin
  'Bout a— Well, I fergit what;
Don't matter. It sure got a beatin';
  Was it wuth tryin' or not!
Now, that's all right; a discussion
  Clears up a subject a heap;
Simeon Stubbs, though, with clapper a-rushin',
  Knocked as if hammers wuz cheap.

Old Peter Smith then unlimbered,
  Got on his feet an' says he:
"Knock away, Sim; the shebang is well timbered,
  But—take this hint off o' me;
  Latch string's a-danglin'—one end;
If you must knock—though in knockin' there's danger
  Come on in; knock like a friend!"

Old Books and Manuscripts

By Frederic J. Haskin

Notwithstanding the ever-increasing number of new books, the interest in the old ones never lessens. At rare intervals the discovery is made of some unknown book or manuscript of the days of antiquity. Such a discovery interests laymen as well as librarians, for the charm of a book current in the time of our remote ancestors appeals to readers of every class. The quest for old literary treasures has been carried on so unceasingly by modern librarians that it is believed few remain unknown, so each new discovery is a matter of importance.

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The latest discovery of this kind is that of "The Odes of Solomon," an early religious work known to have existed, but which had been lost to the world for nearly 2,000 years. It was found by Rendel Harris, a distinguished student and explorer, among a collection of loose leaves sent in from Mesopotamia. The book was written in Syrian characters and is believed to be the only one of its kind in the world. The copy is imperfect, at the beginning and the end, the preface and the colophon being missing. Mr. Harris was able to identify it promptly. It had been cataloged in lists of early Christian and semi-Christian literature made during the first and second centuries. The Latin writer, Father Lacantius, quoted from it in the fourth century and five "Odes" from it were quoted in a curious Gnostic book called "Pistus Sophia," an early Egyptian translation of which now exists in the British museum. The old volume lately discovered is to be included in the treasures of the museum. Its contents are being translated and will soon become familiar additions to the recognized religious literature of the ancients.

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Another discovery of great interest to literary antiquarians is that of what is believed to be the original manuscript of Aristotle's famous treatise on the Constitution of Athens. While copies and translations of this work are fairly well known, the original manuscript, written upon Egyptian papyrus, has lately been cataloged as "CXX X I" in the papyrus collection of the British museum.

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The Library of Congress did not enter the markets for the purchase of literary antiquities until very recently, because it was felt that the money appropriated should be expended upon books of general use for their contents, rather than upon rarities chiefly valuable to the collector. It has been the policy of the library, also, not to purchase a rare volume until after it reaches the second-hand shop or the auction rooms in order that it may be secured by as small expenditure as possible. Notwithstanding these drawbacks, it is securing a wealth of antique treasures most creditable to its single century of existence, as well as gratifying to the Americans who are interested in such matters. This has been brought about largely through donations and deposits made by private individuals.

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The unsurpassed facilities of the library for caring for rare works and also for placing them at the service of the persons capable of being benefited by them is making definite appeal to wealthy private collectors who are looking for a final repository for their treasures.

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The collection of incunabula now assembled in the Library of Congress is the largest to be found in this country and its condition is unsurpassed because of the care taken in its arrangement. Incunabula is a term used by librarians to include all the books printed before the year 1500. Most of these were religious works and few of them can now be bought except from private collections. The collection of incunabula belonging to the library has been greatly augmented by the collection made by the late John Boyd Thatcher, of Albany, N. Y., which has been deposited there. This includes nearly 900 volumes. Its greatest treasure is a copy of the psalter printed upon vellum in the year 1457. In the collection owned by the Library of Congress is another psalter, similar in character, printed upon paper in 1489, which is almost equally interesting. This rare old book has lately come from the hands of William Berwick, the Restorer of Manuscripts for the Library of Congress, who has mastered one of the most difficult feats of restoration in his work upon this book.

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The restoration of manuscripts and old volumes is a fine art all by itself and one requiring infinite skill and patience. The repair room of the Library of Congress is located far above the beautiful marble halls through which visitors love to walk. It is a real attic workroom where the workers are none the less absorbed in their work because of the beautiful view of the city commanded from their windows. Visitors are few because the only entrance to this part of the library is up a winding stair numbering seventy-eight steps. The repair work completed last week upon the rare old psalter was chiefly upon the front pages, which were embellished by illuminations in water colors. It was the coloring which puzzled the restorer. The use of paste was essential and how to apply moisture without ruining the water coloring was a problem.

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When a page from a book or manuscript is in bad condition the first thing done is to repair all holes and to give it a perfectly smooth, straight edge by grafting on paper in a manner that seems almost magical. Then, to strengthen it, a delicate layer of a silk gauze known to repairers as crepeline is applied with flour paste. This gauze is so delicate that it is not to be detected by the naked eye, yet it holds smoothly together paper that otherwise would be in crumbly fragments. In applying the gauze to the illuminated page, Mr. Berwick took a fine camel's-hair brush and carefully outlined each bit of color with the paste which was applied to cover all the uncolored surface. The result has so far exceeded his expectations and will no doubt attract considerable attention from experts in the fine art of manuscript repair.

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The facilities of the repair shop of the Library of Congress are so well recognized throughout the world that requests have come even from Europe to have fine commissions executed here. One of the most important of these was a large volume of manuscript record of the apprenticeship of the old Cutler's Guild of London dating back to 1625. An exhibition of the repair work done in the Congressional Library was taken to a convention of antiquarians several years ago by Gaillard Hunt, the Chief of the Division of Manuscripts in the Library of Congress. Its excellence made so strong an impression upon those who examined it that when this important old book was discovered in a seemingly hopeless condition, permission was asked to have it repaired in the Library of Congress, a compliment which was greatly appreciated by those in charge.

The repairing of an old page, whether printed or written, goes through practically the same processes, although each specimen presents some new difficulty. In making repairs care is taken to use old paper having the precise grain and water mark of the sheet to be repaired. New paper could not be used for this purpose. Consequently, every scrap of old paper which can be secured from old books and manuscripts of no value in themselves is carefully preserved as it may be worth many times its weight in gold. One lady employed in the repair room is especially interested in the collection of scraps of old paper for this purpose. One day she had assembled a quantity of these fragments upon her desk intending to have them assorted, when she was called away for a few minutes. During her absence an active charwoman, thinking they were of no value, brushed them into the waste paper basket. They had been taken downstairs to be destroyed before their collector returned. Considerable excitement prevailed throughout the entire library for a time before the entire mass of waste paper collected for the day could be assembled and the precious scraps regained.

Quips and Quiddities

The sailor had been showing the lady visitor over the ship. In thanking him she said:

"I see that by the rules of your ship tips are forbidden."

"Lor' bless yer 'eart, ma'am," replied Jack, "so were the apples in the Garden of Eden."

DOES NATION'S NEUTRALITY EXTEND TO AIR ABOVE IT?

Novel Question Involving Use of Wireless Has Been Raised in England

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Now that Switzerland has raised the point that, in flying over her territory, British aviators who dropped bombs on the Zeppelin sheds at Friedericshafen violated Swiss neutrality, British lawyers have asked the even more novel question as to whether the recognition of air sovereignty logically involves the prohibition of wireless communication by nations at war.

In other words, if the passage of an airship through the air of a neutral country, is a violation of neutrality, how about a message sent through the air? The question, as fantastic as it may seem, raises a nice point in international law—one that may yet have to be thrashed out at some future conference.

Great Britain expressed regret that her aviators crossed Swiss territory, but she emphasized at the same time that she did not concede sovereignty of the air to anyone. On this point lawyers disagree. English courts have held in the past that there can be no trespass where free air is concerned. In the United States, on the other hand, the city of Cleveland Ohio, contested in the courts and lost in a case where it erected a bridge part of which projected in the air over the property of a tax payer. For this privilege the city was forced to pay $100,000.

British legal opinion thus far voiced seems to be that the air is private or state property in so far as it is effectively occupied. That is to say, effective occupation consists at present of dominating the atmosphere to the limit of modern rifle range—say 7,000 feet. "I cannot see," said a lawyer, "that a country would be guilty of a breach of neutrality if an areoplane passed over it at a height beyond the range of control. I hold that the air above the globe is free to the use of the aircraft of all nations, and is only subject to such rights as are required by the subjacent powers for their respective protection against attack, espionage, infection, infringement of fiscal rights and danger to the life and property of their subjects."

FARMERS' HEADQUARTERS UNION MOVED TO DOUGLAS

Thriving Coffee County Town Now After National Headquarters

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

DOUGLAS, Ga., Dec. 24.—At an enthusiastic meeting of the Douglas chamber of commerce, farmers and business men of Coffee county, a resolution was adopted last night to accept a proposition to move the state headquarters of the Farmers' union to Douglas. There is strong hope now of also bringing the national headquarters to Douglas within a short time.

On last Saturday, National President Charles Barrett and J. J. Brown were in Douglas at a farmers' union rally, at which time they made known to Douglas people what would be necessary to bring the state headquarters here, and last night's rally accepted their proposition.

The authorities of the Farmers' union were notified of the acceptance today by Secretary Melvin Tanner, and the state union headquarters will be moved to Douglas about February 1.

In the proposition accepting the offer of the state union authorities, Douglas agreed to furnish free offices, take a certain number of subscribers to the National Field, the official paper of the union, and do considerable advertising in the paper, advertising the agricultural resources of Coffee county. At an early date the Douglas chamber of commerce will invite the officials of the state chamber of commerce to come to Douglas and hold a rally and organize Coffee county into a county chamber of commerce.

VON HINDENBERG MOST POPULAR OF GERMANS

Field Marshal Honored by Having Streets and Towns Named for Him

BERLIN, Dec. 4.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—Field Marshal Paul Von Hindenburg is easily the most popular man in Germany just now and his name is already in great demand for new streets. In every city where new streets are being laid out one is certain to be called Hindenburg street, and Magdeburg, where the general had been living, has changed the name of one of its principal streets in honor of him.

But the Silesian mining town of Zabrze is determined to go all other towns one better by changing its own queer name to Hindenburg, and the latter has given his consent.

COURT AWARDS CHILDREN OF MRS. BUDWIG $1 EACH

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 24.—A verdict in favor of the will and against the caveat was returned by the jury in the superior court today on the contest in the will of Mrs. Diva Budwig, a wealthy Savannah woman who died several months ago. The four children were cut off with $1 each, and under the decision the estate goes to Mrs. Sarah Norton, of Birmingham, an acquaintance of Mrs. Budwig.

FOR CHRISTMAS MORN'

a Kodak, and throughout the day the taking of pictures. That will make the day a merry one. Jno. L. Moore & Sons, the opticians, have a complete stock of Kodaks and Brownie Cameras. 42 N. Broad St.—(Advt.)

PRESIDENT WILL PLAY 'SANTA CLAUS' CHRISTMAS

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Dec 24.—President Wilson will play "Santa Claus" Christmas day for his small grandniece, Anne Cothran. A large Christmas tree was delivered today at the white house.

The president, with his three daughters, Mrs. F. B. Sayre, Mrs. W. G. McAdoo and Miss Margaret Wilson, and other relatives, plans to go to church Christmas morning. He will attend only to absolutely "tree" business during the day.

Carolyn Humphries Dies

ACWORTH, Ga., Dec. 24.—Carolyn, the three-year-old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Humphries, died at her home in Acworth, Saturday morning. The funeral was from the home Sunday morning, and interment was in the Acworth cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. E. D. Patton.

HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS and Santa Claus, participants in the Christmas tree and fairy-story drama shown in the auditorium of the Girls' High school Wednesday. Fifty-five little boys and girls sat entranced for an hour while "Rumpelstilskin" was acted for them, followed by a present-laden Christmas tree. From left to right, Miss Annie Lee Gray, Frank H. Neely, as Santa Claus, and Miss Beatrice Hamlett.

W. E. WATKINS IS NAMED MAYOR OF JACKSON, GA.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

JACKSON, Ga., Dec. 24.—W. E. Watkins was nominated for mayor for his fourth time Tuesday, winning over J. H. McKibben by a vote of 141 to 129. The councilmen nominated were: S. O. Ham. A. T. Buttrill, J. B. Settle, J. C. Jones. The votes was 172 out of a registration of 282. There were no contests for school trustees and members of the executive committee.

COURT OF APPEALS OF GA.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 22, 7914.

JUDGMENTS AFFIRMED.

Cooney vs. Foote; from municipal court of Atlanta. Bryan & Middlebrooks, Guy W. Parker, for plaintiff in error. A. E. Wilson, contra.

Hill vs. Driskell; from municipal court of Atlanta. T. J. Ripley, for plaintiff in error. M. W. Bullock, contra.

Georgia Refining Company vs. Atlanta Milling Company; from municipal court of Atlanta. Hines & Jordan, for plaintiff in error. J. W. Bachman, contra. (Direction to write off $8.65, and as to costs.)

Elmore vs. State; from Tattnall superior court—Judge Sheppard. H. H. Elders, for plaintiff in error. N. J. Norman, solicitor-general, contra.

Strickland vs. Citizens National Bank of Rockmart; from city court of Cartersville—Judge Foute. Finley & Henson, for plaintiff in error. W. T. Townsend, contra.

Gazaway vs. State; from city court of Greenville—Judge Revill. N. F. Culpepper, for plaintiff in error. J. F. Hatchett, solicitor, contra.

Brown vs. State; from city court of Madison—Judge Anderson. E. H. George, for plaintiff in error. A. G. Foster, solicitor; contra.

Foss vs. State; from city court of Savannah—Judge Davis Freeman. Joseph M. Dreyer, for plaintiff in error. Walter C. Hartridge, solicitor-general, contra.

O'Neal vs. State; from city court of Miller county—Judge Geer. Billie B. Bush, for plaintiff in error. N. L. Stapleton, solicitor, contra.

Martin vs. City of Rome; from Floyd superior court—Judge Wright. Harris & Harris, for plaintiff in error. Max Meyerhardt, contra.

McFarlin vs. State; from city court of Zebulon—Judge Dupree. H. O. Farr, for plaintiff in error. J. F. Redding, solicitor, contra.

Duren vs. State; from Campbell superior court—Judge R. W. Freeman. J. R. Bedgood, J. A. Drake, for plaintiff in error. George M. Napier, solicitor-general; Claude C. Smith, contra.

Rice vs. City of Eatonton, and Cheney vs. City of Eatonton; from Putnam superior court—Judge Park. W. T. Davidson, for plaintiffs in error. W. F. Jenkins, M. F. Adams, contra.

Sheffield vs. State; from Laurens superior court—Judge Larsen. Davis & New, for plaintiff in error. E. L. Stephens, solicitor-general, contra.

Beatty vs. City of Atlanta; from Fulton superior court—Judge Bell. Thomas E. Scott, Albert Kemper, for plaintiff in error. James L. Mayson, William D. Ellis, contra.

Ellison vs. State; from Putnam superior court—Judge Park. M. F. Adams, for plaintiff in error. J. E. Pottle, solicitor-general, contra.

JUDGMENTS REVERSED.

Nix vs. State; from city court of Columbus—Judge Tigner. McLaughlin & Shanks, for plaintiff in error. T. H. Fort, solicitor, contra.

Hammond vs. State; from city court of Cairo—Judge Singletary. M. L. Ledford, L. W. Rigsby, for plaintiff in error. W. W. Willie, solicitor, contra.

Knight vs. State; from city court of Brunswick—Judge Krauss. Frank H. Harris, John T. Powell, for plaintiff in error. Alfred H. Crovatt, solicitor, contra.

Brown vs. State; from city court of Valdosta—Judge Cranford. Franklin & Langdale, for plaintiff in error.

Curry et al. vs. State; from McIntosh superior court—Judge Sheppard. Charles M. Tyson, for plaintiff in error. N. J. Norman, solicitor-general, contra.

Norris vs. Mayor and Council of Thomson; from McDuffie superior court—Judge Hammond. J. B. Burnside, Callaway, Howard & West, for plaintiff in eror. Ira E. Farmer, contra.

Covington et al. vs. State; from city court of Albany—Judge Jones. Peacock & Gardner, for plaintiffs in error. Cruger Westbrook, solicitor, contra.

Stephens vs Sity of Crawfordville; from Taliaferro superior court—Judge Walker. Robert R. Gunn, Alvin G. Golucke, for plaintdf in error. Hawes Cloud, contra.

DISMISSED.

Mahaffey vs. State; from Jackson superior court—Judge Brand. T. J. Shackleford, for plaintiff in error. P. Cooley, solicitor, contra.

ARGUED AND SUBMITTED.

E. Young vs. Dublin Fertilizer Works; from Laurens.

Eddie Walker vs. District Grand Lodge; from Muscogee.

Grady Studevant vs. Blue Springs Lumber Co.; from Brooks.

Mrs. M. F. Reynolds vs. Mrs. M. E. Starks; from Chattooga.

J. O. Perry vs. Constitution Publishing Co.; from Troup.

L. H. Kingery et al. vs. Citizens Bank of Pulaski; from Bulloch.

S. D. Hicks vs. Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company; from Early.

Claud Smith vs. W. A. Knowles; from Floyd.

R. J. Hillis vs. E. T. Comer & Company; from Burke.

L. L. Whitten vs. Railway Postal Clerks Investment Association; from Fulton.

E. F. Deacon vs. Equitable Life Assurance Society, etc.; from Fulton.

Christmas Coal, call us.
CARROLL & HUNTER

THEATERS

Christmas at the Atlanta will be celebrated by performances matinee and night of the comedy, "Green Stockings," by Miss Percy Haswell and a fine company of players. Miss Haswell is one of America's most distinguished stars and her appearance in Atlanta will attract hundreds to the playhouse for the holiday. "Green Stockings" is a rollicking comedy with a fine love story and humor which keeps one laughing most of the time. Miss Haswell is surrounded by a wonderful company of capable players and her appearance here is sure to be a treat. She will play only the matinee and night as she will leave the day following for New Orleans. Seats are now on sale for both the holiday performances with special low prices prevailing both matinee and night.

A sure cure for the blues, and one of the most attractive offerings of the season is promised for Christmas and Saturday at the Bijou theater. It is to be the merry musical comedy entitled "A Night in Old Heidelberg," a delightful mixture of mirth, melody and song. The headliner of the vaudeville will be the Harmonious Trio. Other vaudeville will be Inez and Ody, James Gallagher and Joseph Anthony. "A Night in Old Heidelberg" will be the offering at the Bijou Christmas day and Saturday at 2:30 and 4, and Christmas night and Saturday night at 7:45 and 9.

An entertainment of unusual cleverness is the attraction at the Forsyth this week, and because of the worth of the acts making up the bill, vaudeville is more popular than ever. Eddie Leonard, the former minstrel star, now one of vaudeville's star headliners, is the feature of the bill. Lilian Herlein is offering a program of comedy songs and exhibiting the most magnificent gowns ever seen on a local stage. "On the School Playgrounds," with seven pretty girls, a good character comedian and a vocalist, add to the value of the bill.

AT THE MONTGOMTRY.

Mary Pickford in novel film version of "Cinderella," latest famous players, paramount feature.

Christmas day at the Montgomery theater, Mary Pickford, the most popular motion picture star in the world, returns to the screen on the Famous Players—paramount program, in a four-part modern and original film version of the century-old classis "Cinderella."

In the exquisitely fanciful fairy-tale, arranged from the beautifully sympolic story, Mary Pickford portrays the pathetic but bewitching little cinder-girl, the herone of the world-renowned and universally loved tale of the abused stepsister who was at last rewarded for her virtue and patience by a splendid triupph over the haughty sisters and unkind stepmother, and crowned princess and sovereign of her true love's-heart.

This new and modern version of "Cinderella" is a delightful blend of comedy and pathos, and provides a consummately artistic treat for people of all ages. In the imposing and elaborate production, illusion and reality are skilfully mingled, and the famous little heroine of the children of all time lives and breathes upon the screen, immortal there as in their hearts, with a tender charm that is all Mary Pickford's own.

The varying vissitules of Cinderella's life, with her many sorrows and her great triumph, are depcted with a fascinating degree of realism, and the inspiring episodes of the beloved tale are dramatically and picturesquely developed in this most charming and unique fairy-photoplays, just as they are chronicled in the beautiful story that is its origin.

This beautiful photo-production will remain at the Montgomery for the balance of the week.

BUICK OFFICE FORCE GUESTS AT BANQUET

The office force of the Atlanta agency for the Buick Motor company was entertained Wednesday night at a banquet at the home of the manager, George D. McCutcheon, 25 Elizabeth street. About twenty-five ladies and gentlemen were present.

DR. W. L. PICKARD NAMED BESSIE TIFT PRESIDENT

MACON, Ga., Dec. 24.—Rev. Dr. W. L. Pickard, president of Mercer university, has also been elected president of Bessie Tift college at Forsyth, according to an announcement made here by the board of trustees.

Bessie Tift is the official Baptist denominational college for young women of the state and Mercer university here occupies the same position for young men.

The Baptist board of education of Georgia is seeking to correlate the work of the two institutions, said Dr. J. L. White, of the board of trustees here tonght, and still retain separate institutions.

ROME WOMAN SUES HER BROTHER FOR SLANDER

(Special Dispatch to The bournal.)

ROME, Ga., Dec. 24.—An unusual suit for damages will be heard at the next term of Floyd superior court, whereby a young woman sues her brother for $10,000 damages, alleging slander.

The plaintiff, Willie Mae Powell, of Cedartown, claims that her brother, W. E. Powell, visited her home and while there used defamatory language to her in the presence of witnesses, which language, she alleges, so hurt her reputation that she finds it hard to obtain employment.

MALTA LODGE NO. 641 HONORS S. S. WALLACE

Past Master S. S. Wallace, Malta lodge No. 641, Free and Accepted Masons, was presented with a past master's jewel at the regular meeting of the lodge Wednesday night. J. V. Greenfield made the presentation speech. The following officers were elected: Andrew B. Chapman, worshipful master; W. A. Upchurch, senior warden; R. S. Hayes, junior warden; Byron Sanders, treasurer; F. P. Gibbs, secretary; W. V. Shields, senior deacon; J. N. McDonald, junior deacon; E. W. Brown, senior steward; W. S. Hazard, junior steward. W. R. Bush, chaplain; P. M. Hubbard, organist; J. M. Hart, tyler.

WILSON RENOMINATES HALL COMMISSIONER

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—The president today renominated Henry Clay Hall, of Colorado Springs, Colo., for interstate commerce commissioner. The term is seven years.

K. P. Election Held

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

MARIETTA, Ga., Dec. 24.—Officers elected for Marietta lodge, No. 143, K. of P., for the term beginning January 1, 1914, follow: Hugh A. Hill, C. C.; William Attaway, V. C.; W. S. Kelley, prelate; J. J. Hunt, K. R. and S. and M. F.; W. T. Potts, M. of E.; G. T. Northcutt, M. of W.; D. H. Hamby, M. A.; G. P. Barnes, I. G.; G. G. Osborne, O. G.

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RHEIMS RESIDENT SAYS CELLARS ARE DANGEROUS

Been Bombarded So Much, He Says, He Can Give Expert Advice

DUNKIRK, France, (Via London,) Dec. 15.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—A resident of Rheims, who has survivved all the successive bombardments of that city, advises against taking to the cellar in case of bombardment.

"Two of the Rheims hotels were blown into rubbish while I was sleeping in them," he says. "In each instance most of the people in the hotels took refuge in the cellars and came near losing their lives when the bricks and mortar came tumbling in on top of them. If your house is blown up, the ruins almost certainly will block you in your cellar and you stand every chance of coming to an untimely end by asphyxiation.

"I had calculated correctly that the part of the city where I was living would come under fire from the northwest, so I selected a room on the first floor at the side most remote from the point of threatened attack. In my second hotel, just across the way, I reversed the process. In each case I escaped with my clothes in my hand, and later assisted in digging out the cellar refugees, who were nearly dead.

"The favorite time for bombardment is between 2 and 4 o'clock in the morning, when the Germans can use their big guns without any risk of their location being found out by scouting aeroplanes. It might be well to mention that shells of this caliber do not merely make holes in walls or blow roofs off. They lift the entire contents of a four-story house into the street, floors, partitions and all details included. The daily bombardment of Rheims after this fashion has now lasted over eighty days."

COUNT WITTE DENIES HE OPPOSES RUSSIA IN WAR

Russian Statesman Says He Deplored It, but Will See It Through

(By Associated Press.)

ROME, Dec. 24.—Reports having been circulated here that Count Sergius Witte, Russian statesman, was leading a pacific party at the Russian court, the count has telegraphed to Rome denying the statements. In his telegram he says:

"At the beginning I deplored the war, thinking it was not inevitable or indispensable, but since the war is in progress any discussion regarding it would be futile.

"Now that the war has assumed in Russia a popular character it can only end with a decisive victory for Russia."

ENGLISH OFFICERS LOST DURING WAR TOTAL 3,835

Number Killed 1,081, Wounded 2,152, and Missing 602

LONDON, Dec. 15.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—The latest officers' casualty list, covering the week from December 8 to 15, shows that 23 officers were killed and 81 wounded during that time. The casualties occurred in all branches of the service, about sixty different regiments having lost one or more officers in killed or wounded. No officers, however, are reported missing in the list, a feature that has been more or less prevalent in previous casualty reports.

The total casualties among officers to date are 3,835, divided as follows: Killed, 1,081; wounded, 2,152; missing, 602.

PALACE OF ESSAD PASHA IN TIRAMA IS SET AFIRE

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, Dec. 24.—A dispatch from Durazzo, Albania, to the Central News says the palace of Essad Pasha at Tirana has been set afire.

Essad Pasha, always prominent in Albanian military and political circles, was named provisional president after the recent retirement of Prince William of Wied, who had been selected by the powers to rule Albania. Essad Pasha was last reported as advancing on Scutari and it was said he had proclaimed a holy war in Albania.

Tirana is about seventy miles south of Scutari.

Spalding Grays Banquet

GRIFFIN, Ga., Dec. 24.—The members of the Spalding Grays enjoyed a very delightful banquet at one of the local restaurants last night. Captain E. W. Beck acted as toastmaster. Among the speakers were Rev. J. E. Sammons, Captain J. M. Kimbrough, U. S. A., and Major William H. Beck

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There, upon inquiry, he may ascertain the fact that a bullet from a .95-caliber, twelve-cylinder revolver in the hand of Officer Austin was the messenger that winged his departure.

Officer Austin is on the morning watch. Great had been the scorn of the evening watch for the morning watch, especially in the matter of guns. The evening watch scoffed at the caliber of the revolvers sported by the morning watch, claiming that they were mere pop-guns beside their own.

"That's all right," said Officer Austin. "Much boasting hath made me mad. I'll show the evening watch what's what."

So Wednesday morning Officer Austin appeared on duty bearing his little friend, which is the largest caliber gun known. It looks like a regular Krupp and carries bullets like projectiles. Officer Austin exhibited it in recorder's court, and in front of the station house.

All Darktown was overawed. Ginger George expressed the sentiments of the bunch. "Dat ain't no gun," he said. "Dat's a whole fort."

GERMAN SCIENTISTS ARRESTED IN RUSSIA

Men Who Went to See Total Eclipse Were Held as War Prisoners

BERLIN, Dec. 4.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—The astronomical observatories of Berlin, Hamburg, Munich and Potsdam have just issued a statement regarding the fiasco of the four German expeditions that went to the south of Russia to observe the total eclipse of the sun on August 21.

Although the expeditions were undertaken with the assistance of the St. Petersburg Academy of Sciences, the astronomers and their technical helpers were arrested and kept as prisoners for a time in Odessa. The older scientists were finally allowed to return to Germany, but the four younger men were kept at Odessa till November 14, when they were sent as prisoners of war to Astrachan.

Their valuable astronomical instruments had a still worse fate. They had to be left, packed in boxes at Fedosia in the Crimea, and they were later confiscated by the Russian government and given to the University of Odessa.

WORSHIP OF HEAVEN IS REVIVED IN CHINA

President Yuan Renews Observance Which Was Abandoned in 1911

(By Associated Press.)

PEKING, China, Dec. 24.—President Yaun Shi Kai today revived the worship of Heaven at the winter solstice, an observance neglected since the passing of the Manchu dynasty in 1911.

Yaun Shi Kai submitted a bill to the Chinese administrative council last January prescrbing the worship of Heaven and of Confucius for the president of China, and the measure was passed. That was regarded as tantamount to establishing a state religion for China.

The deliberations of the council it was set forth that the president of the republic should worship at the Temple of Confucius and at Temple of Heaven annually as had been the custom of the Chinese emperor. Today's function appears to be the execution of purposes then set forth.

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Yellowjackets' Schedule for Season of 1915 Includes Three New Opponents

The Sportlight

BY GRANTLAND RICE

ANOTHER HESPERUS WRECK.

It was old Father Hesperus
  Out on a shopping spree,
And he carried his little daughter along
  To keep him company.

Blue was her nose from the frosty air
  And her eyes were a mottled gray,
But her simp dad dragged her into the mob
  Preparing for Christmas day.

"Oh, father, I hear an awful shriek;
  O pray, what can it be?"
"Some one has had a lamp put out,"
  The old man said in glee.

"Oh, father, I see a stream of blood,"
  She said with white face wan.
"Some one has bitten off my ear,"
  He sighed, but hurried on.

"Oh, father, I got a three-ply jolt;
  Pray, tell what it might be?"
But the father answered never a word—
  A mangled corpse was he.

It's just a bit surprising that a ball player of Walter Johnson's brains and poise should have become entangled in any such smear. He either had a binding contract with Washington or he didn't have, and it should have been his business to find out before taking the jump. And, having made his decision, he should have stuck to it. As it is now, he is in for a legal scramble either way. If he works for Washington, Weeghman will enjoin him, and if he works for Chicago, Griff will cut in with a legal broadside.

BALL PLAYERS AND CONTRACTS.

Ball players who haven't signed contracts are certainly entitled to go out and get the money, and all the money they can get, whether offered by the Feds or by O. B. A ball player merely under reserve is not a jumper. But a player who will jumb a signed contract doesn't belong as part of any clean game.

A HARVARD OPINION.

Sir: I don't care a whit about the inside patter of Harvard's and Michigan's graduate managers, as to whether or not Michigan was ever offered a game for next fall; but, speaking for myself and other Harvard men with whom I have talked, there is no great patience to be found with Harvard's present attitude. Michigan came to play Harvard when Michigan had a green eleven and Harvard had a veteran machine. Now that the tables are to be turned in the way of material, it was certainly up to Harvard to play another game. I am surprised at her attitude, for that isn't Harvard's way of doing things.

CRIMSON, '08.

P. S.—I also think if Harvard played the game she could win, even with a green machine. C., '08.

These here United States of ours is planning to send a committee on peace to Europe. The committee will be headed by Garry Herrmann, James A. Gilmore and Ban Johnson.

We are calling for peace in Europe when here at home we can't even get it in our sports, business or politics.

Yale and Princeton are envying Michigan's luck. Harvard has no intention of dropping them next fall.

EXACTLY THAT LONG.

"Walter Johnson, by his recent actions, has lost all his old-time popularity with Washington fans."—Exchange.

This popularity will stay lost until the day Walter pitches his first shutout. After which the rest of it will no longer count.

We know of a certain ball player in a minor league some years ago who got squiffed one night and attempted to scalp his wife before he was finally overpowered. The town was on the verge of lynching him. While out on bail and still under criminal indictment, he came out to play and was welcomed with an outburst of hisses. During the game, a close one against a certain hated rival, he produced two doubles and a triple. At the second double play they were cheering him, and after the triple no one would have remembered, or cared, if he had murdered his wife and blown up the city hall. The clammy-browed athlete may be fickle, but he hasn't anything on the frenzied fanatic.

THE DUFFER INTERJECTS.

I yearn for the snow and sleet;
  For, when the wild winds roar,
It's the only time I can get around
  The course in a seventy-four.

Here at the nineteenth hole,
  "Hitting the back of the cup,"
I take on Travers, Ouimet and Chick
  And finish at least four up.

So, around the course I go,
  Hitting the pill a clout;
Laying them dead for twos and threes
  Till at last the Scotch gives out.

OUR OWN BELGIANS.

Lest we forget, this is the time properly set again to come through with a draft for those in the Bush League of Existence. Many of these can out-Belgium the Belgians in the way of concrete blight. There is also a loud call for all .300 hitters available for the League of the Empty Stocking. So hurdle a couple of those steins while discussing the Johnson case and take a chance.

We have heard of and observed a number of Boding Hushes in our zigzag career, but nothing that quite compares to Mr. Willie Ritchie's existence since the Welsh battle of July. Willie is making Silence sound like a Vocal Cataclysm in action. We can't understand it. No beaten fighter ever developed any such habit before.

SHARP SPORT JABS

Herrmann, Ebbetts and Murphy seem to be the Eternal Triangle of baseball.

Without going into the merits of the Johnson case we'd like to have the address of the lawyer who advised the Washington club to start suit at once. That would enable us to desire to dodge him if we ever got into trouble.

Chief Johnson is reported to have outrun a police officer at Winnebago, Neb., which is a sad show up of the speed of Winnebago police officers.

The Federal league has a rule that when a ball hits a photographer it is in play. They ought to give the thrower credit with a base hit.

While not in possession of the exact statistics regarding the distance back to Tipperary, we believe it is several miles less than the distance Connie Mack will have to come back.

It is reported that Russ Ford learned how to pitch by studying billiard balls. He must have figured they were players' heads and used the beaner.

"I wish him luck," said Connie Mack speaking of Eddie Collins, but he neglected to say what kind of luck.

Baseball players are remarkably courageous; at least they're the only workers in America who dare ask for a raise in pay this year.

Prof. Frederick Starr wagers that he will live to be 120. We'd take him only we recall that the Boston Braves beat the Athletics.

Kansas spent $15,000,000 for automobiles last year, exclusive of (deleted). The peculiar part about it is that Kansas paid for them.

Northwestern university didn't win a football game, but it gave N's to 22 players; probably on the theory that any man brave enough to play on a Northwestern team ought to have a letter.

Kicking goal after touchdown seems to be about as satisfactory as the no-decision boxing match has proved to be.

Jupiter has signed a new moon, but Comiskey's new star created a lot more conversation.

We certainly hope that the National league adopts the twilight sleep in trying to get rid of C. W. Murphy.

All sports are honest until someone hunches the odds.

England is to send a battalion of 11,000 football players to the front. After the war ends Walter Camp probably will pick the best eleven.

The Feds have gone through the formality of tendering a contract to Rabbit Maranville, of the Braves. He says he is satisfied to be world's champion.

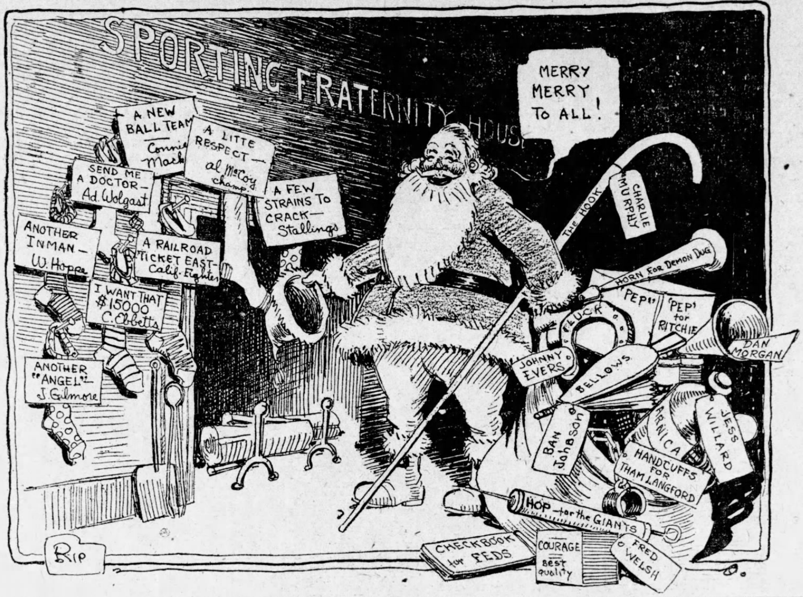
At that we seldom have to arrange a benefit for the fellow who declares he is done with sentiment.

No man can remain philosophic after the fellow on first misses a hit and run signal twice.

Gun Club Will Stage Shoot Tomorrow

The College Park Gun club will stage an all-day shoot tomorrow at the club grounds. The program will begin at 10 o'clock, and will continue well into the afternoon. The feature event of the day's card will be a handicap contest for a trap offered by the Dupont Powder company. Entry for this and other events will be free, and all contestants will be handicapped according to their ability. No admission fee is charged, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

HE WON'T FORGET THE SPORTS ---BY RIPLEY



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ANOTHER "ANGEL" — J. Gilmore
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CHARLIE MURPHY
HORN FOR DEMON DUG
"PEP"
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Ruppert Has Not Yet Bought The Yankees

After Several Weeks of Dickering Would-Be Purchaser Announces That There Are Several Details Yet to Be Settled—Price Is Stumbling Block

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Many complications remain to be adjusted before the control of the New York American league club passes to Colonel Jacob Ruppert, Jr., and Captain T. L. Huston, according to statements given out here today. The prospective purchasers stated that the deal for the purchase of the Yankees had not been completed, but added that if certain details were worked out they expected to take over the franchise within a few days. President Frank J. Farrell declared that he still controls the club and from other sources it was learned that no definite date had been set for a conference between Farrell and the would-be purchasers.

The question of the price is said to be the stumbling block. Farrell has named his figure which is said to be $500,000, and Colonel Ruppert has offered a smaller sum for the club. In an effort to settle the question, it is said that President Ban Johnson has promised, on behalf of the American league, to make up the difference between what the prospective purchasers are willing to pay and the amount demanded by the present owners.

At the Chicago conference the question of a manager, according to Captain Huston, was discussed and if the sale is made lies between three men, Bill Donovan, who managed the Providence team, pennant winners, in the International league last season; Jack Hendricks, of Indianapolis, who for several seasons piloted Denver in the Western league, and Jack Dunn, of Baltimore.

Stiff Schedule For Mercerites

MACON, Dec. 24.—The schedule of baseball games for the 1915 Mercer team has been completed, according to announcement made by Manager C. B. Landrum. The team will meet practically every prominent team in the southern association, including Tech, Georgia, Sewanee, Vanderbilt, Auburn, Alabama and Florida. This year Tech will come to Macon for the two games scheduled between the two teams, while two games will be played with Georgia in Macon and two more in Athens.

The Baptists are making no early claims on the southern championship, but admit that they have some very likely looking material on hand from which to build a team. Several of last year's team are here, including Frank Hunt, the star pitcher, and there is said to be lots of good new material. Coach Robins will start things going just as soon as the weather permits in the early spring.

Following is the complete schedule:

March 24 and 25—Florida at Gainesville.
April 2 and 3—Georgia in Macon.
April 7 and 8—Alabama in Macon.
April 9 and 10—Georgia in Athens.
April 12 and 13—Mississippi Agricultural and Mechanical in Macon.
April 21 and 22—Vanderbilt in Macon.
April 30 and May 1—Tech in Macon.
May 3 and 4—Sewanee in Sewanee (probable).
May 5 and 6—Vanderbilt in Nashville.
May 14 and 15—Auburn in Auburn.

Vandy to Play Vols In Nashville Next Year

NASHVILE, Tenn., Dec. 24.—The football teams representing Vanderbilt and the University of Tennessee will meet here next fall on October 30 for their annual game. A return game will be played in Knoxville in 1916. This arrangement was completed after Vanderbilt explained to the Tennessee authorities that games already scheduled away from home with Virginia and Auburn would not permit of another trip away from the city next fall.

Trailing The News

BY INNIS BROWN

The athletic council at Sewanee has just made an announcement which should be of especial importance to Sewanee's alumni throughout the country, and to football fans generally, in giving out the statement that Harris Cope has been engaged to coach the Tiger football team again next season. Cope, up through the past season, was working on a three-year contract which expired Thanksgiving. He has signed up again, this time for only year only.

Prior to the original engagement of Cope to handle the eleven, Sewanee tried out some five or six coaches in about as many years. Almost without exception, the men employed for the job were graduates of eastern institutions, and in nearly every case they were just out of college and had had no experience in handling a team. Furthermore, they were not familiar with circumstances and conditions, and it was not surprising that as a rule they failed to get results. In 1907 Sewanee had a bunch of the best gridiron material ever gathered at a southern college, but the team failed to land on top, largely through the poor coaching that it received.

Every year since Cope has been at Sewanee he has made a most creditable showing with the material at hand. Beginning with 1909 he has handed Vanderbilt a couple of defeats, said stunt being the chief aim and intent of a football season on the mountain. For the past three or four years immediately preceding the season of 1904, first-class football timber has been rather lacking on the mountain. But this fall quite an array of good looking youngsters turned out for practice. These are all freshmen, and by next year should be considerably better than they were during the season just closed. With only one man missing from the 1914 squad, with the new material strengthened by a year's experience and with Harris Cope back on the job, it looks like the Tigers ought to cut quite some figure in football circles in Dixie next year.

All of this war-time conversation and bluster about retrenchment on part of baseball owners is not worrying Carlton Molesworth, manager of the Birmingham Barons, nor yet Owner Rick Woodward. Messrs. Woodward and Molesworth have already selected a spring training camp, being the first Southern league club to meander away from its own backyard to get into condition for the fray. The Barons will work out the winter kinks at Orlando, Fla.

Evidently the time has come to quit spoofing Boston about its high-brow habits and its extreme culture, else said culture thrives well on athletic sports. With the trend things are taking now, it will be only a question of time before the citizens of Back Bay and, other portions of the New England metropolis will have adopted Freddy Welsh, bought Frank Gotch a farm in the suburbs, and claimed Maurice McLoughlin for their own.

It might have been enough for a less ambitious set to harbor the Braves and the Crimson champions, but from present prospects, they are going to reach out for more. Just at present it looks like the Bostonians will have the opportunity of watching all of the games of the next world's series, without contributing materially to the income of the New York, New Haven and Hartford.

Regardless of what experts may think, Colonel G. Stallings and his crew are very likely to be right around the top of the heap, when they drop the curtain on the race in the National league next fall. The Braves are a bunch of classy scrappy ball players, and they will make the going just as warm next year as they did the past season, only they are likely to get going a bit earlier.

Furthermore, indications are that the Red Sox will be affording them inspiration all the way through the spring and summer with their stuff in the American league. No club in Johnson's circuit was traveling quite so fast as Carrigan's team at the close of last season, and he is going to have the whole crew on hand next year. The addition of Dick Hoblitzel has rounded out the infield, and that pitching staff is all that a manager could ask. Furthermore, it doesn't look as though the other fellows are going to be there with the punch to choke them off. Unless Detroit or the White Sox chop in with a much more effective argument than they have for several seasons, none appears equal to the task of beating the Red Sox out.

Do you remember Dan Senno? Ten to one you don't, but when it is recalled that Dan played the outfield for the Barons a small part of last season, you may place him. Well, 'tis said Danny never crabs at the umpire, nor does he ever emit any loud raucous squawks on the coaching lines, no matter how hotly the battle is being waged, now how imminent a rally on part of his team may be.

And it isn't all because Dan doesn't pull for his team to win, nor lacks in spirit. Dan's reason for declining to cut loose with the loud jabber is the fact that he has a voice. Not the ordinary kind that serves to murmur "The same for me," or "I'll play these," or any of the other popular sport phrases. Danny has a singing voice, and one that he spends much dough in having cultivated. So why spoil his delicate pipes railing at a thick-hided umpire, or yelling to some bonehead to flag at the third station, when a relay from the outfield is sure to cut him down at the plate? Not for Danny. The young Caruso realizes that there are different grades of squawks, also different grades of pay for same.

In justice to Walter Johnson, it should be said that there is no truth in the report that he pulled his little flirtation with the Feds just for the fun of handling $6,000 in real money in the hard times.

The golf association is trying to differentiate between a professional and an amateur. And all this time we have been thinking that one got caught and the other didn't.

Brewing beer and running a big league ball club may have little in common, but it will be noticed that Colonel Jake Ruppert, who has made a fortune in former hung back strongly against buying the Yankees in their present dilapidated condition.

Cope Will Coach Tigers in 1915

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Dec. 24.—When the Sewanee Tigers assemble at their mountain lair next fall for the 1915 gridiron campaign Harris Cope will again be in charge. It was formally announced here today that the Cartersville wizard has signed a one-year contract with the Tigers. Cope's three-year contract at Sewanee expired Thanksgiving, but he promptly agreed to return for next season.

The fans of Daytona, Fla., have promised to construct a playing field for the Dodgers for the 1915 training. President Ebbetts is to go to Florida right after the holidays to oversee the work.

Evans to Arrive Next Wednesday

Owing to a change in his plans at a late hour, "Chick" Evans, celebrated golfer, who had planned a visit to Atlanta for the holidays, will not arrive here until about the first of the new year. The western crack is coming for a visit to George Adair, and in a letter received Wednesday he announced that he would have to delay his visit for a few days. He is expected to arrive here Wednesday of next week.

Chick Evans has picked the best eight golfers in America, and we feel hurt. He didn't even mention us. Never mind, we'll get the worst eight in the world together and play his team.

Club Quintet an Easy Winner

Coach Bean's Charges Down Osteopath Five With Little Trouble—Finel Score 69 to 22

The Osteopath basketball team from Kirkville, Mo., failed to measure up as opponents of the Athletic club team at the latter's gymnasium last night, and went down in defeat by a score of 69 to 22. The boys from the "show me" state were hustling all the while, but the clever goal shooting and passing of the local team was too much for them, and they could never get up after the first minute or so of play, when they led, after landing a couple of goals before Coach Bean's charges got going.

But if the visitors failed to keep pace with the locals as a team they showed one man who played the game in great shape. He was Olds, one of the forwards. This fellow landed seven field goals against the best defensive work the locals could muster, and brought his total up to 16 points by shooting a couple of foul goals. Willingham Smith did the most brilliant work for the club five in scoring. He landed ten goals for a total of 20 points. Dubard was runner-up, with eight baskets.

The defensive work of Wilson and Weaver was excellent. The visiting guard stuck so closely to Forbes that the local forward bagged but one field goal during the game. Ed Carter delivered in great shape, and furthermore did some effective work at goal shooting, grabbing off five baskets.

Following is the line-up:

ATLANTA (69).		MISSOURI (22).
Smith (20)	R. F.	Olds (16)
Forbes (8) Abbott (4)	L. F.	Manhart, Johnson
Dubbard (16)	C.	Foster (2) Engler
Weaver (8), J. Graves	R. G.	Engler (4), Foster,
Ed Carter (10), F. Carter (2)	L. G.	Wilson

Summary—Foul goals, Forbes 6, Olds 2. One point awarded the Athletic club by the referee. Referee, Joe Bean. Time of halves, 14 minutes.

Stallings to Draft Sally League Schedule

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 24.—George Stallings, manager of the world's champion Boston Nationals, has been selected to draw up the 1915 playing schedule of the South Atlantic league. It will be submitted to the league directors at the January meeting. Last year's schedule was drafted by Mike Finn, manager of the Memphis Southern league club.

St. Louis U. Wants Game With Vols

KNOXVILLE, Dec. 24.—The University of St. Louis football team has wired the University of Tennessee for a place on the Volunteers' schedule next fall, in case there is a vacancy. It is understood that if satisfactory arrangements can not be made with Vanderbilt, the St. Louisans may be taken on.

New Gridiron Opponents for Tech Next Year

Jackets Announce Schedule Covering Games With Transylvania, Louisiana State, and North Carolina—Sewanee, Clemson and V. M. I. Supplied

The Tech football schedule for next season has just been announced. Following the trend of other schedules announced to date, the Jackets have established several new connections, and have accordingly broken off at least temporarily with some of the people who have been annual opponents of the locals for several seasons.

At least three newcomers appear on the list. These are Transylvania, of Lexington, Ky.; Louisiana State and the University of North Carolina. Considering a shift in the date of the Auburn game, this trio replaces Sewanee, Clemson and Virginia Military institute. Mercer is moved up to the opening position, while Davidson is taken on for the first time in several years, getting the second date of the season.

While no definite announcement of the deal had been made until the schedule was given out, it has been generally understood for some time that the Jackets would get a game with the Tar Heels next year. When this team came down last season to play Georgia, the coaches kept their charges here in Atlanta and in Gainesville until time to depart for Nashville to meet Vanderbilt. During this sojourn an agreement was practically reached, though details were not settled.

The Virginia Military cadets were left off of the schedule not through any matter of choice, but only because the Jackets could not make the trip to Lexington, Va., for a return game. The contest with the Virginia Military institute boys at Grant field last season was very satisfactory to both teams, and the Jackets would have gladly played them again if they could have arranged the details satisfactorily. However, the trip to New Orleans to meet Louisiana State university prevented the local eleven from making another trip so far away from home as Lexington, Virginia.

As yet no game has been signed up for the Saturday immediately preceding Thanksgiving, though it is possible that such a game may be played. In the event one is arranged, it will necessarily be a rather light affair, since the Jackets do not care to stage a heavy battle less than a week before the Thanksgiving game with Auburn.

The schedule as it now stands offers quite some possibilities and promises local fans some great football. Transylvania won the championship of Kentucky the past season, and is expected to have a corking good team next year. Davidson has just finished a very successful season, and under the coaching of Bill Fetzer is expected to turn out another strong eleven next year. Louisiana State had a rather bad season this year, but the Creole Tigers are likely to develop another good team by next fall.

All of the other games on the list are sure to prove lively affairs. There is every reason to believe that the Tar Heels will have some considerable team. Alabama can be counted on for a great battle, though the Jackets are determined to even things up with them for the past season's defeat. Georgia and Auburn need no comment. All told, the list of games arranged appears very satisfactory all round, fully capable of testing the Jackets thoroughly.

Here is the schedule in full:

October 2—Mercer.
October 9—Davidson.
October 16—Transylvania.
October 23—Louisiana State in New Orleans.
October 30—University of North Carolina.
November 6—University of Alabama.
November 13—University of Georgia.
November 20—(Arrangements pending).
November 25—(Thanksgiving) Auburn.

Walter Johnson Returns Bonus

COFFEYVILLE, Kas., Dec. 24.—With money obtained from the sale of a herd of steers, Walter Johnson, the Washington American star pitcher, on Wednesday mailed a draft reimbursing Charles Weeghman, president of the Chicago Federals for the bonus given Johnson when he signed a Federal contract. The draft was for $6,000.

"As far as I am concerned the incident, which has proven an unpleasant one to me at least, is now closed," Johnson said. "There is nothing more I can do. I shall report to the Washington club when the spring training season opens. If any complications arise they will have to be fought out between the two leagues or between the heads of the two clubs, Washington and Chicago. When I mailed that draft my responsibility ended."

Football and Baseball Pay Tiger Sport Bills

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 24.—Football and baseball are the only self-supporting branches of athletics at Princeton, according to the athletic association's annual report Tuesday. The figures for the 1914 football season are not yet complete, but in 1913, football netted $38,844, while in baseball last spring $9,318 was cleared. Track athletics were run at a loss of $4,561.

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INTERESTING NEWS OF WOMEN AND SOCIETY

Plans for Celebration of Christmas at Social Clubs

Christmas day open house will be kept at the Piedmont club, the Capital City club, both town and country homes, the Druid Hills Golf club and the Athletic club.

From 10 o'clock on through the day and evening a buffet luncheon or supper may be obtained at the Capital City club in the ladies' cafe and the gentlemen's cafe on the second floor, where the apartments will be bright with holiday decorations.

A large and beautifully ornamented Christmas tree will be a feature of decoration at the Druid Hills club, and from 12 until 3 o'clock refreshments may be had.

Yule logs blazing in the great fireplaces will lend an added brightness and cheer to the hospitable club house and many plans have been completed for the enjoyment of the members and their friends.

The appearance of Miss Mooney and Mr. Gaynor, of New York, to demonstrate the new dances at the Piedmont club on Christmas afternoon will be an interesting feature at the tea dance from 5 to 10 o'clock. The ball room will be beautifully decorated and many guests will be present.

Among those who will entertain friends at the Piedmont club Christmas afternoon and evening will be Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cosgrove, Mr. Winship Nunnally, Mr. Thomas J. Lyon, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Nunnally, Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. English, Mr. and Mrs. John Sommerville, Miss Louise Black, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Spalding, Mr. L. Dugas McClesky, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. William Lawson Peel, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Adair, Mr. Hal Hentz, Mr. A. C. Worthen, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Thornton, Mr. Cator Woolford, Mr. and Mrs. William G. Chipley, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Hickey, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rosser, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley R. Cowles, Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Elkin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sisson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Dannals, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Little, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Remsen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Shelton and Mr. and Mrs. George Harrington.

The Athletic club will keep open house all day at their town home, which will be attractively decorated with Christmas emblems. Eggnog will be served and informal dancing will be enjoyed by club members and their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Gay's Guests

The bird supper at which Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Gay will entertain at their home on Seventh street in honor of Miss Virginia Lipscomb will be an event of Thursday evening.

The guests will include Miss Virginia Lipscomb, Miss Bertha Moore, Miss Isoline Campbell, Miss Rosalie Davis, Miss Mary Brown, Miss Isobel Robinson, Mr. Willard McBurney, Mr. Howard Peacock, of Columbus; Mr. Edward Alfriend, Mr. Robert Forrester, Mr. Saunders Jones, Mr. Kenneth McRae and Mr. William D. Ellis, III.

Dancing Party on New Year's Eve

Miss Carrie Lou Born will entertain at a dance Thursday evening, December 31, at her home on Peachtree road.

Mr. and Mrs. Sims To Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sims will give a dancing party Thursday evening, December 31, at their home on Ponce de Leon avenue.

Evening Card Party

Miss Thelma Keel will entertain at a card party Wednesday evening, December 30, at her home in West End. The guests will include fifty friends among the college set.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson to Give Eggnog Party

Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Nelson, will entertain informally at a neggnog party on Christmas day.

Bridge Luncheon to Visitor

Mrs. Claude Frederick was hostess at a bridge luncheon Thursday at her home in Ansley Park in honor of Mrs. Clarence Coppedge, of Elberton, the guest of Mrs. B. M. Boykin.

The center of the luncheon table was graced with a crystal bowl holding red carnations and mistletoe, and the decorations of the living room, where the game was played, were in red and green.

Assisting in entertaining were Miss Willie Keith, of Winchester, Tenn., and Miss Dixie Cawthorn, of Mobile.

Twelve guests were present.

Dinner Dance at Georgian Terrace

Many parties have been arranged for the Christmas dinner dance on Friday evening at the Georgian Terrace.

Among those who will entertain friends are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wessels, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ninninger, Dr. and Mrs. Logan Carr, Dr. and Mrs. J. K. Gilder, Mr. Dickinson, Miss Rosalie Mayer, Mr. and Mrs. Murdock Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Eiseman, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson, Miss Anna Terhune, Miss Nina Gentry, Mr. and Mrs. John Kiser, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bishop, Mr. J. T. Carson, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Felder, Mr. and Mrs. Everett, Mr. and Mrs. George McKenzie, Mrs. Mary P. Cooledge, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Harmon, Mr. Winter Alfriend, Dr. and Mrs. Clifford Atchison, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Evans, Mrs. Edward McCerren, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hockaday, Mr. L. Y. Warren, Mr. and Mrs. William Lowry Meador, Mr. Wiley Daniels, Mr. H. C. Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dick, Mr. J. P. Toler, Mr. Newelt, Mr. and Mrs. Treadwell, Mr. George B. Graves, Mr. R. H. Lewis, Mr. Woodward Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Raines, Mr. John Mecaslin, Mr. Walter Hill, Dr. J. G. Williams and Dr. Charles P. Hodge.

Annual Christmas Dance

The annual Christmas dance given by the Boys' High school was a bright event of Wednesday evening and was largely attended by members of the school girl and boy set.

Taft hall was used for the occasion and a gay and festive scene was presented with the many dancing couples and the elaborate decorations suggestive of the holiday season. The walls were garlanded with ropes of greenery and bright crimson flowers. Punch was served from a bowl embedded in holly and mistletoe, and a stringed orchestra furnished dance music.

About 300 members of the younger set attended the enjoyable event, which was chaperoned by Prof. and Mrs. W. F. Dykes, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey S. Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. Fitzhugh Knox, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rice, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Courts, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McCullough and Mr. and Mrs. George Muse.

Afternoon Tea

Miss Pauline Randall and her brother, Mr. Luther Randall, entertained at tea Thursday afternoon at their home on North Boulevard.

The artistic decorations of the rooms, where the guests assembled, were of holly, mistletoe, poinsettias and southern ivy. A mound of holly and mistletoe adorned the center of the tea table and the punch bowl was embedded in richly hued fruits.

Miss Justine Henderson, Miss Mae Renau, Miss Nell Walsh and Miss Irene Bennett poured tea, and Miss Mary Louise Heinking and Miss Edith Hudson served punch.

Assisting in the entertainment of the guests were Miss Willie McCall, Miss Sappho Thrash, Miss Wickliffe Wurm, Miss Helen Rhorer, Miss Marie Cobb, Miss Nell Randall, Miss John Scarbuck, Mr. Joe Johnson, Mr. Wharey Little, Mr. Joe Heard, Mr. Joe King, Mr. Rosco McDaniel, Mr. Bert Ponder, Mr. Frank Fraser and Mr. Joe Beutell.

Miss McGovern Gives Dancing Party

Miss Louise McGovern was hostess at a dancing party Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Gladys Byrd.

Palms, mistletoe and holly formed the decoration of the rooms, where dancing was enjoyed.

Miss Byrd was attractively gowned in pink brocade, combined with black velvet, and Miss McGovern wore a becoming gown of green taffeta, with bodice and tunic of white chiffon. Mrs. P. J. McGovern, who assisted in entertaining, was gowned in pale green cloth and lace.

Miss Mildred Mather, who served punch, wore white charmeuse veiled in tulle.

The forty guests included the college set and a few close friends of the hostess.

Auction Bridge Party

An event of Saturday evening was the auction bridge party given by Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bergstrom Thrash, at their home on Euclid avenue. The rooms open to the guests were decorated with tiny Christmas electric lights, red bells and holly branches.

Mrs. Thrash was gowned in yellow satin draped in black chiffon.

The first prizes were won by Mrs. Frank Givan and Mr. Joe Brown, and the consolation by Mrs. C. C. Willis and Mr. C. R. Pyburn.

The guests included Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Pyburn, Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts, Mr and Mrs. J. A. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Kemp, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Mickle, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Givan and Mrs. Downey.

Personal Mention

—Mrs. J. A. Edwards, of Marshallville, mother of Mr. J. L. Edwards, and Mrs. W. C. Lovett, of this city, met with a very serious accident Sunday in Chicago where she has been visiting her daughter, Miss Kate Edwards. She fractured her hip in a fall and is now in the Henrati Memorial hospital, Chicago, where she must remain for some time. Mrs. Edwards has many friends in Atlanta where she has been a frequent visitor who will regret to learn of her illness.

—Miss Elma Hawell, who is attending the Randolph-Macon Woman's college, in Lynchburg, Va., Miss Louise Harwell, who is a student at Hollins college and Mr. William Davis Harwell, Jr., who is attending the University of Virginia, have returned home for the holidays. Mrs. J. T. Harwell will spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. P. W. Hill, of Birmingham, Ala.

—Dr. and Mrs. Paul Fitzsimmons, of New York and Washington, D. C., who have been spending the past month with Mrs. Glascock Mays and Mrs. W. D. Russell at their home on Spring street, will leave early in January for a visit to Havana and other points in Cuba.

—Mr. William Wallace Lyon, who is attending Princeton, and Mr. J. S. Lyon, Jr., who is a student at Union seminary in Columbia, S. C., have returned home for the holidays and are with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Lyon, at the Imperial hotel.

—Mr. and Mrs. Dwight E. Lowell and little son, Adkins, will arrive Thursday evening from Alabama to be the guests of Mrs. Lowell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Adkins, at their residence on Fourteenth street for the holidays.

—Mr. George Boyd, of Charleston, S. C., attended the wedding of his brother, Mr. Fleming Boyd, and Miss Kathleen Pearce, which was solemnized Tuesday. Miss Beachye McGee, of Chipley, was also among the out-of-town guests.

—Mrs. Joseph W. Ivy, of Kansas City, Mo., formerly Miss Mary Rosa Johnson, of Atlanta, left Sunday for Birmingham, where she will join Mr. Ivy and they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Ivy for the Christmas holidays.

—Miss Jack Pybas, of Trenton, Tenn., who is spending the winter with Mr. and Mrs. William Lowry Porter, will be the guest during Christmas of friends at Madison, returning to Atlanta after January 1.

—Mr. E. S. Marshall, of Nashville, Tenn., who was called to the city by the illness of his sister, Mrs. C. L. Powell, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Powell at their home on Luckie street.

—An event of Thursday evening will be the dancing party given by Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Elsas in honor of Miss Clare Phillips and her guest, Miss Helen Rosenau, of Philadelphia.

—Mr. Albert Collier has joined Mrs. Collier in St. Louis for the holidays, where she has been spending the past several weeks with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. John Grant.

—Mr. George Carlton, of Detroit, has joined Mrs. Carlton and George, Jr., who have been the guests for the past month of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Geigerman, of Cincinnati, announce the birth of a son who has been named Herman Sommer, for his maternal grandfather.

—Mrs. Virginia Conyers is at home for the winter at 21 East Linden street.

—Miss Martha Crane left Thursday to visit friends in Augusta.

—Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Barili, Jr., and Alfred, III, will spend the holidays at the home of Mrs. Barili's parents, "Ellerslie Farm," near Smyrna.

—Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cox will leave Thursday evening for Anderson, S. C., to spend the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. E. B. Brown.

—Mr. Luther Randall returned Wednesday from college to spend the holidays with his parents at their home on North Boulevard.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Chapman and little daughter, Frances Ellaine, will spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Lucke.

—Mr. J. Daniel Bedell, of New York, will spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bedell, in Druid Hills.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Letton, who are spending the holidays in Fort Scott with Mrs. Letton's parents, will return home Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Walsh left Thursday for Griffin, to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Drewry for the holidays.

—Miss Ethel Lounsberry will arrive Friday morning from Opelika, Ala., to spend the holidays with Miss Marjorie Thomas.

—Mr. Harry Sullivan left Wednesday for New York to spend the holidays with his brother, Mr. Walton A. Sullivan.

—Miss Olive Capps left Wednesday for Blakely, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Walter Park.

—Mrs. Lizzie Hardy McGee, of Chipley, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. K. C. Hardy, on Gordon street.

—Miss Tommie Hancock has returned from Knoxville, after a visit of a month to Mrs. W. K. Jenkins.

—Mrs. Ida Beardsley, who has been ill at her home on St. Charles avenue, is convalescent.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Pearson, of Chattanooga, are the guests of Mrs. C. S. Evans.

—Miss Evelyn Brazell will spend the holidays with Miss Mildred Payne at Elberton.

—Mr. Glascock Mays returned Wednesday from New York for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris To Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. Evelyn Harris will entertain the members of their family connection at an eggnog party Christmas morning.

Annual Christmas Tree at Home of Miss Brown

A bright and enjoyable occasion of Thursday afternoon was the annual Christmas tree given by Miss Sallie Eugenia Brown at her home on Peachtree street in compliment to the members of her family connection.

The large holly tree arranged in the long drawing room was illuminated with tiny electric lights shaded in red and green and ornamented with shining tinsel and fancy trinkets suggestive of the season. At the base of the tree was placed the gifts from the family to each other and those given by their many friends.

Mr. George Brown and Mr. John Spalding acted as Santa Claus.

The dining table held in the center a large punch bowl encircled with holly and mistleto and at one end of the table was placed the fruit cake.

After each guest had been served according to the annual custom, the Christmas hymn, "The Star of Bethlehem," was sung, and later the gifts were distributed.

Miss Brown wore a becoming gown of black chiffon velvet combined with chiffon and jet, and Mrs. Wickersham, of Washington, who is visiting Mrs. Brown a model of blue charmeuse draped in chiffon embroidered in iridescent beads.

Christmas Party

The party at which Miss Helen Tucker, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Tucker, entertained at her home on Juniper street Wednesday evening was one of the prettiest of the holiday parties among the school set.

The home was attractively adorned with Christmas decorations of holly wreaths and festoons of smilax, and a bright touch of color was added with the use of many red bells.

The invited guests included Miss Katherine Dickey, Miss Nina Hopkins, Miss Catherine Crichton, Miss Marion Dean, Miss Catherine Giddings, Miss Eloise Robinson, Miss Madeline McCullough Miss Emily West, Miss Madeline Bellinger, Miss Mildred Dobbs, Miss Dorothy Haverty, Miss Nellie Dodd, Miss Martha Magill, Miss Elizabeth Mallard, Miss Hallie Crawford, Mr. George Hart, Mr. William Chipley, Jr., Mr. George Brown, Mr. Marion Wilson, Mr. Clifford Wilson, Mr. William Kiser, Jr., Mr. Saxton Lewis, Mr. Frank Owen, Mr. George Raine, Mr. Carlton Cone, Mr. Gus Redding, Mr. Robert Redding, Mr. M. A. Nevin, Mr. Percy Ansley, Mr. Theo Moody, Mr. Burgess West, Mr. Howard Thorn, Mr. Wade Harding, Mr. Kendrick Goldsmith, Mr. Junius Mallard, Mr. Harold Ittner, Mr. Ashby McCord, Mr. Rainey Williams and Mr. Robert Scott.

Christmas Plans of Hyperion Club

The Hyperion club will be open to its members and their friends on Christmas morning from 10 to 12:30, when they will entertain at an informal dance.

The rooms will be attractively decorated in the colors of the season and delightful refreshments will be served.

The club has completed the arrangement of their new rooms and are now in possession of attractive and homelike club rooms.

All the members and their friends are urged to be present, as the dance promises to be one of the features of the club's existence, a get-together party and an affair brimming with the Christmas spirit.

Christmas at Athletic Club in Decatur

The Decatur Athletic club will keep "open house" Christmas afternoon and evening. The club rooms will be prettily decorated, refreshments will be served and at 9 o'clock dancing will be enjoyed.

On New Year's eve the largest dance of the season is planned.

Dr. Wiley S. Ansley, president of the club, will act as official host and the entertainment committee is sparing no pains to make the members enjoy the two events.

Class of 1890 to Hold Reunion

The class of 1890 of the Atlanta High school will hold its annual banquet next Tuesday night at the Winecoff hotel. Old graduates from Georgia, Tennessee, Florida and Alabama will make merry and there will be many novel attractions, in addition to a good, old-fashioned southern dinner in the "Southern Gardens."

In Memory of Mrs. Nixon

The following beautiful tribute to the memory of Mrs. William M. Nixon, is paid by Mrs. Nellie Peters Black:

"The Christmas spirit of loving and giving has never been more beautifully manifested than in Atlanta this year. People have seemed to forget their own wants and their own desires in planning to give happiness to others less fortunate than themselves, and this makes us think of Mrs. W. M. Nixon, who has passed from our midst to the glories of Heaven.

"Truly her life was spent for others. Talented, cultured, blessed with wealth, ease, and comfort, she turned her face resolutely towards the homes of the poor and needy, and in a spirit of joyfulness she gathered the children of the kindergarten about her and made their little lives happy. Is it any wonder that they should remember her with a gift on their Christmas tree yesterday, not knowing that the gentle spirit had entered into the joys of Heaven?

"In the woolen mills settlement there is sorrow today for a beloved friend has left them, but as the scent of a sweet flower lingers with us, so the memory of this gentle, sweet woman will remain with those for whom she worked and with the coworkers who have been associated with her in the church, the kindergarten and the home circle."

Interesting Weddings

Erwin-Armistead

A wedding of much interest to many friends was that of Miss Ethel Armistead and Mr. Evans Erwin, which was beautifully solemnized Wednesday evening, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Armistead, on West Peachtree street.

Rev. Dunbar H. Ogden performed the impressive marriage service and the only attendants were Miss Rebecca Day, maid of honor, and Mr. Henry Floyd, best man.

The bride was given in marriage by her twin brother, Mr. Sam Armistead.

The wedding group stood before an improvised altar of palms and ferns lighted at each side with cathedral candlesticks burning tall white tapers. Showing against the dark green foliage were vases of Easter lilies.

The bride made a lovely picture in her wedding robe of soft white satin fashioned wth a court train and veiled in chiffon. Sprays of orange blossoms caught the tulle veil in place and her flowers were bride roses and valley lilies.

The maid of honor was gowned in flesh colored satin and carried a bouquet of pink roses.

The little flower girls, Ruth Dodd and Martha Buchanan, wore white lingerie dresses with sashes of pink ribbon.

The entire house was decorated for the reception which followed the ceremony. A mural effect was introduced with garlands of smilax and great vases filled with pink roses and hyacinths adorned the mantels and buffet. A graceful basket filled with pink roses graced the center of the bride's table and pink shaded candlesticks were placed at intervals. The wedding cake was embossed with Easter lilies and rested in a mound of the same beautiful blossoms.

During the ceremony and reception hours a musical program was rendered.

The bride's mother was gowned in black crepe de chine and lace. She was assisted in receiving by Miss Louise Armistead, wearing a gown of white satin with lace tunic, and Miss Jennie Armistead, who was gowned in white brocaded velvet.

Upon their return from a northern wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Erwin will be at home in the Livingston apartments.

Boyd-Pearce

A pretty home wedding was that of Miss Kathleen Pearce and Mr. James Fleming Boyd, of Spartanburg, S. C., which took place at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary Moss Pearce, on Washington street, Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

In the living room where the ceremony was performed, the color scheme of white and green was carried out with ivy and palms, ferns and white narcissi. The arch was of ivy from which was suspended the wedding bell of white roses and the improvised altar was banked with palms and ferns and lighted with green and white candles.

"The Song of the Evening Star" was softly played during the ceremony which was performed by Dr. W. R. Hendrix, pastor of St. Marks Methodist church, and "I Love You Truly" was rendered by Mrs. W. A. DeLamar.

The bride cut the heart in the cake, Mr. George Boyd cut the dime, Dr. Hendrix the wishbone, Miss Mary Brady the thimble and Miss Bessie Stone the ring.

The guests were received by Miss Mary Brady and Miss Beachye McGee, of Chipley, a cousin of the bride.

The bride was lovely in a traveling trimmings and hat and muff to match. trimmings and hat and muff to match. Her corsage bouquet was of pink roses and lilies of the valley. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Boyd, of Spartanburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd left immediately for Spartanburg to spend the holidays with the groom's parents.

Open House at Druid Hills Golf Club

Open house will be kept at the Druid Hills Golf club from 12 to 3 on Christmas day. The attractive club house has been beautifully decorated for the holiday season, holly and mistletoe lending brightness to the scene, while open fires blazing in the great fireplaces lend an added cheer and hospitality.

The regular tea dance will be held Saturday afternoon and many parties are being arranged for the occasion.

Christmas Work of Druid Hills Methodist Church

Sunday school classes of the Druid Hills Methodist church Thursday are distributing generously filled stockings and other gifts to 184 of Atlanta's poor, and in addition will take presents to the Wesley house and the Fifth Avenue mission.

Members of the Sunday school met at the church Wednesday night to assemble the gifts. In addition to numerous toys for the children and useful articles for the elders, 130 pairs of stockings were contributed. Half of these stockings have been filled for the little ones.

In distributing the gifts the Sunday school used a list of the needy furnished by the Associated Charities. Every class in the Sunday school had a part in the giving.

Masked Ball at Vesper Club on New Year's Eve

Arrangements have been completed by the Vesper club for a series of bright affairs to be given during the holidays. Open house will be kept at the club during Christmas day.

The largest entertainment yet given by the club will be the masked ball on New Year's Eve. Prizes will be offered for the most original costumes and also to the best dancers of the occasion, and a bright program of new dance music has been also arranged for the evening.

The out-of-town girls to attend the dance will be Miss Mary Queen Slade, of Columbus; Miss Alice Gardner, of Macon; Miss Virginia Jones, of Augusta; Miss Georgia Atkinson, of Newnan; Miss Angella Bresia, of Columbus. The chaperons of the evening will include Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Adair, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Thrower, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Rainwater, Mr. and Mrs. John Turner, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Julian Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll McGaughey, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Walthal, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Atchison, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ison, Mrs. R. H. Atkinson, Mrs. Mell, Mrs. Paul, Mr. and Mrs W. J. Harper, Mrs. Irene B. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs O. D. Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. McConnell, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Smith, Mr and Mrs. Harris G. White, Mr and Mrs. W. J. Stoy, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. William Bearden

EXPERIENCES OF NOBLE WOMEN IN EUROPE

The horrible experiences that many noble women in Europe have endured during the past few months can never be all told. Here in America many women, both young and old, have experienced much misery and suffering.

Middle aged women about to experience that dreaded change of life should profit by the experience of thousands of noble women who have gone through the same period with little or no pain, misery or discomfort.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is and has been for over 40 years just the medicine that every woman needs when passing through the changing days. It is not a secret prescription, for its ingredients are printed on the wrapper; it's a temperance medicine.

Not only does it build up the entire system and make it strong and vigorous enough to withstand the organic disturbances, but it has a quieting effect upon the feminine organism that reduces the distress to a minimum. For any womanly ailment, disease or complaint, no matter of how long standing, we advise anxious women to get Dr. Pierce's Favorite Pescription in either liquid or tablet form.

NO CHARGE FOR THIS BOOK

If you will send 25 cents, or stamps, to pay for wrapping and mailing, and enclose this notice, Dr. Pierce of the Invalid's Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., will send you a revised copy of his Common Sense Medical Adviser, in cloth binding, 1008 pages, with color plates. Just what you need in case of sickness or accident. Treats of Physiology, Anatomy, Sex problems, Marriage relations, Hygiene, Exercise, Disease and its prevention.—(Advt.)

Christmas Tree at the Atlanta Child's Home

The Christmas tree at the Atlanta Child's Home was a bright event of Wednesday afternoon for the little children of the home.

Miss Grace Gaffney acted as Santa Claus and distributed gifts.

Miss Mildred Brown read a Christmas legend and Mrs. E. E. Huguley recited a Yuletide poem and presented a jeweled pin, which was a gift from the board of managers, to the matron, Mrs. Sutherland.

Mrs. Frank Gaffney was in charge and was assisted by Harry Cannon, Clinton Huguley and Mary Robinson.

The elaborate Christmas dinner to be served at the home for the little children has been donated by Mrs. Joseph Rhodes.

Suffrage Tea Dance

Christmas bells and holly berries and, best of all, the true, blithe holiday spirit, will all contribute to brighten the festivities at the Vesper club on Saturday afternoon, when the suffragists and their friends will gather for the fourth dance of the series which they have inaugurated. These dancing teas, under the auspices of the Fulton and DeKalb Counties Branch of Equal Suffrage Party of Georgia, are proving most enjoyable occasions for the younger set.

Among the chaperons will be Mrs. S. C. Dinkins, Mrs. Jacob Patterson, Mrs. Goodrich, Mrs. George Harrington and Mrs. W. A. Wason.

POMPEIAN OLIVE OIL

CERTIFIED OLIVE OIL!

PURE Olive Oil may be compared to PURE Milk. And POMPEIAN Olive Oil may be compared to CERTIFIED Milk. It is more than pure. It's fine.

Full Half Pints,	$ .25
Full Pints,	.50
Full Quarts,	1.00

Druggists or Grocers

XMAS RATES

Reduced Rates via N., C. & St. L. Ry. and W. & A. R. R. Apply any agent.

Put It Off

Have you? Now, you don't know what to buy? Come to us, and we will help you select. We are expert at suggesting, and the pleasure to please is ours. We have dependable gifts in the jewelry line; then there's diamonds and watches. Just step off Peachtree, and get out of the crowd, and you'll be happy Christmas morning.

A. M. BALDING
17 Edgewood Avenue
"Our experts treat sick watches."

GOOD jobs do not go begging long when they appear in Journal Want Ads.

Chamberlin=Johnson=DuBose Co.
Atlanta New York Paris

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To the Music of Home, Sweet Home

May Yours Be a Very Merry Christmas

Chamberlin=Johnson=DuBose Co.

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Really fresh — from our manufacturing establishments right to you.

Huyler's Candies are made in 14 different cities!

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Quality—purity—and freshness are guaranteed by

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FRESH EVERY HOUR

Our Sales Agent in Atlanta is Brown & Allen
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One time, 10c a line.
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The reduced rates are for consecutive insertions, cash with order.

Six words of average length are counted as a line.

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Money will be refunded on the basis of the earned rate for paid-in-advance Want Ads which may be discontinued.

All discontinuances should be made in person at The Journal office or by letter. Telephone discontinuances are not valid.

The Journal maintains a messenger service and a phone-receiving service for Want Ads.

A messenger will be sent for your Want Ad or your Want Ad will be taken over the phone by an expert operator and ad writer, as best suits your convenience.

Telephones
Main 2000
Atlanta 423

The Journal Covers
Dixie Like the Dew

DECEMBER 24.

"The best way to live well is to work well."—Granville.

WANTED HELP—MALE

WANTED—Boys to carry routes in afternoon and Sunday morning. Apply at the following places: Atlanta Journal main office; Sub-station No. 1, 495 Edgewood avenue; Sub-station No. 2, 212 Lee street; Sub-station No. 3, 792 Marietta street.

BUILDERS' course by mail. Construction, plan reading, estimating, architectural drawing, contracting, etc., especially prepared for contractors, builders, bricklayers, carpenters, plasterers, apprentices. Students study plans of buildings and machinery being actually constructed in Chicago. Home study work the same as in our college classes. Mention which is desired when writing for catalogue. Chicago Technical College, 1041 Lake View bldg., Chicago, Ill.

NAVY CAN MAKE YOU skilled in some useful trade. No expense for board, lodging, clothing, while learning. Pay increases as you become competent. You benefit mentally and physically in naval service. Excellent place to save money. Chances for foreign travel. Apply Navy Recruiting Station, 512 Postoffice bldg., Atlanta.

STENOGRAPHERS, bookkeepers, salesmen, commissary clerks, clerical office men, clerks, mill men, railroad men, telegraph operators, station agents, we save you money and lost time by furnishing you positions on short notice. Arlington Business Agency, Arlington, Georgia.

MEN increase your earnings. Learn the barber trade for which there is always a demand. Many jobs waiting at wages higher than you would expect. Taught in few weeks by our system. Earn while learning. Call or write. Moler Barber College, 38 Luckie st., Atlanta, Ga.

POSITIONS for 1915, don't look for a job; that's our business. Salesmen, bookkeepers, stenographers and other high-grade help, any line. Write at once for particulars. Macon Employment Agency, 307 American National Bank Building, Macon, Ga.

WANTED—Men and women, $65 to $150 month. Government life jobs. Common education sufficient. Thousands vacancies yearly. Write immediately for schedule showing winter-spring examinations. Franklin Institute, Dept. 51-W, Rochester, N. Y.

WE HAVE several openings for establishment of independent mail order business. Energy, good habits and sound judgment more important than capital. Spare time at first. Particulars free. Opportunities Exchange, Buffalo, N. Y.

ARMY of U. S. Wanted: Unmarried men, age 18 to 35. Information at recruiting offices. 1927½ 2nd Av., Birmingham, Ala.; 411 Cherry St., Macon; Postoffice bldgs., Montgomery, Ala.; Augusta, Rome, Columbus and Atlanta, Ga.

YES—If you have two hands Prof. G. O. Branning will teach you the barber trade for $30 and give paying position in our chain of shops. Steady. Wages while learning. Atlanta Barber College, 10 E. Mitchell st.

WANTED—Colored men, prepare as sleeping car and train porters. Atlanta roads. Experience unnecessary. Uniforms and passes arranged for. Enclose stamp Railway Institute, Dept. 11, Indianapolis, Ind.

BE A DETECTIVE EARN $150 to $300 per month; travel over the world. Write Supt. Ludwig, 605 Westover bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

ATLANTA Railway Mail Clerk examinations coming. $75 month. Pull unnecessary. Common education. For sample questions apply immediately, "Mail Clerk," care Journal.

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WANTED—By South Carolina concern. Experienced accountant, not over 28. State age, education, training, salary expected. References, "ACM.," Box 600, care Journal.

PHYSICIAN WANTED for village and country practice. Splendid location, no competition. Address J., Box 555, care Journal.

WANTED—Bookkeeper, salesman, stenographer and hotel help. Commercial Employment Agency, 510 Forsyth Bldg.

WANTED—Young man, aged about 16 years, to do office work. Experience not required. Apply O., Box 1739, City.

RAILROAD firemen, brakemen, $120; experience unnecessary. Send age, postage. Railway, care Journal.

WANTED—Harness makers. Voss-Barbee Mfg. Co., Little Rock, Ark.

WANTED HELP—FEMALE

AN INTELLIGENT person may earn $100 monthly corresponding for newspapers. No canvassing. Send for particulars. Press Syndicate, 865, Lockport, N. Y.

GIRLS, take courses in Miss Sparkman's Improved Millinery School, 94½ Whitehall. Free scholarship offer. All millinery work done free.

GIRLS LEARN millinery. Ideal School of Millinery, 100½ Whitehall, corner Mitchell. We make and re-trim hats free.

REFINED young lady, 18 to 20, experienced vaudeville artist, must be a good piano player. 1018 Century bldg.

SELECT private shorthand and typewriting school, 35 W. Peachtree. Day and night class.

WANTED—SALESMEN

WANTED—Salesmen of ability, hustlers to sell our line direct from factory to dealer. Our prices enable you to sell the largest trade in the country, as well as the smaller dealers. Are you worth $5,000 per year? We sell both the premium and regular trade; a good job and good money for the right man; we also have some A-1 propositions for side liners. What we want is producers. Would advise experienced premium men to get in touch with us. Address W. B. James, Salesmanager, Tritt China Company, Niles, Ohio.

SEVERAL high-grade men to sell 1,200 lots in the best residential section of Tampa, Fla. Experience not as necessary as ability. All up-to-date improvements now being put in. Price of lots $600 to $1,000; easy terms. Free automobiles furnished. Call 9:30 to 5 daily. Mr. Moran, 1115 Empire Bldg., Atlanta, Ga.

WANTED—AGENTS

DUSTPROOF, sanitary toothbrush holder. No tacks. Place on wall anywhere. Recently patented. Send thirty cents for sample. Canvassers wanted. American Specialty Co., Roanoke, Virginia.

WANTED HELP—Male and Female

WANTED—Men and women, 18 or over, get U. S. government life jobs, $65 to $150 month. Thousands 1915 appointments. No lay-offs. Common education sufficient. "Pull" unnecessary. Write immediately for list of positions obtainable. Franklin Institute, Dept. 54-W, Rochester, N. Y.

SMITH Employment Agency furnishes first-class help. Without charges. Employment secured promptly. 179½ Auburn avenue. Ivy 2333-J.

WE secure all kinds of positions on short notice. Commercial Employment Agency, 510 Forsyth Bldg.

WANTED—TEACHERS

ACME TEACHERS' AGENCY. Best service, most liberal terms. 1233 Healey bldg., Atlanta, Ga. Ivy 7098.

WANTED SITUATIONS—MALE

SPECIAL RATES for Situations Wanted ads. 3 lines one time, 10 cents; 3 times, 15 cents. To get these rates ads must be paid in advance and delivered at The Journal office.

EXPERIENCED office man desires position as mail order salesman, office manager, secretary, treasurer, accountant or general office work. Eleven years' experience in positions of these kind. Now employed. Box 637, Waycross, Ga.

ELECTRICIAN and waterworks man of experience and training in the operation and administration of such plants wants position as superintendent or foreman January 1. Good record and references. C. G., Box 118, care Journal.

MAN—Age 22. Don't use cigarettes or liquor, honest, refined, reliable and quick. Can and will do anything honest. Best references on request. Address P. O. Box 374, Thomson, Ga.

DRUGGIST—Licensed, 12 years' experience, 8 years as manager; all-round drug man; sober, no bad habits. Prefer small town. Address "Trionol," Box 666, care Journal.

WANTED—Position by experienced licensed druggist, anywhere. Middle aged, married, sober, best of references. Salary reasonable. D. L. C., 292 Hemphill, Ala.

BARBER—Sober, steady, first class, wants job, will work on per cent if can make about $12.50 a week. Barber, 126 South Lee street, Americus, Ga.

YOUNG man, 21, wants position January 1, 3 years' experience in dry goods, excellent references Address T. H. P., Box 7, Turin, Ga.

WANTED—Position by young man, as assistant bookkeeper, hardware, clerical work, can use typewriter. Address P., Box 111, care Journal.

AN all around furniture repair man and band teacher wants a position, Milton Brooks, Gen. Del., Americus, Ga.

WANTED—Position by good house or yard man. Can give references. Associated Charities. Main 4260.

BARBER wants position by January 1, or will rent shop, white. Homer Dobson, Winder, Georgia.

EXPERIENCED colored presser and tailor wants position. 18-B Proctor st.

WANTED SITUATIONS—FEMALE

SPECIAL RATES for Situations Wanted ads 3 lines one time, 10 cents; 3 times, 15 cents. To get these rates ads must be paid in advance and delivered at The Journal office.

LADY wishes position as manager of small hotel or rooming house. Give best of references. Address E, Box 200, care Journal.

YOUNG lady stenographer, best city references, desires position with reliable firm at once. W., Box 112, care Journal.

POSITION as housekeeper for widower with children by capable lady; good references. "B. C.," Box 28, care Journal.

COLORED woman wants place as nurse or to do washing and cleaning. Associated Charities, Main 4260.

VISITING nurse. Maternity cases a specialty. Terms reasonable. Phone Decatur 220.

YOUNG LADY desires position in office copying, filing, etc. Call Ivy 5725-L.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

BROOKS COUNTY COUNTRY SAUSAGE.
3 1-3 POUNDS Fresh Country Sausage delivered by Parcel Post upon receipt of $1.00.
Brooks County Products Co.
Quitman, Ga.

BIBLES AND TESTAMENTS

AMERICAN Standard Edition Teachers' Bibles and Testaments, 50c to $3.00. Peloubet's select notes, $1.00. Tarbell's guide to study of Sunday school lesson, $1.00. We carry the largest assortment of religious books for special workers. Hopkins' Book Concern, 153 Auburn avenue, Atlanta, Ga. Bell phone, Ivy 3135-L.

LOT of show cases and wall cases, grocer's counters that were taken in exchange.
ATLANTA WALL CASE
AND CABINET WORKS.
COMPLETE STORE OUTFITTERS.
M. 2835, Magnolia and Marietta Sts.

CLOSING out entire stock. Low prices. Stable blankets, storm covers, lap robes, foot heaters, everything in the harness line, show cases, table counters. D. Morgan, 139 Whitehall st.

BROOKS county homs, bacon, side meat, country sausage and Georgia cane syrup. Direct to consumer or in wholesale lots. Brooks County Products Company, Quitman, Ga.

FOR SALE ANYTHING in the way of household furniture at Jacobs' Auction Co., 51 Decatur street. Main 1434; Atlanta 2285.

W. C. HARKEY SAND CO.
RED ASH Jellico lump, $4.75; round, $4.50.

$4.75—COAL—$4.75
M. 666-J. GATE CITY COAL CO.

TWO diamond rings, ⅝ and 1 carat, white stones. Will sacrifice for quick sale. Diamonds, Box 29, Journal.

PUMPS for every service. All makes repaired. The Dunn Machinery Co., Healey bldg.

CITY COAL AND GRADING CO., does all kinds of grading. Phones 1013.

FOR SALE—100 bushels white and speckled peas. C. H. Lindley, Powder Springs, Ga.

GET our rent list; all size houses, apartments. Turman & Calhoun, 203 Empire.

FOR SALE—$500.00 Conover upright piano. For quick sale $75.00. 41 Eugenia st.

FIRE WORKS quick. Call Ivy 2363-L and we will deliver them at your home.

TOMORROW last day. Picture books 1c, Bibles 15c each. 160½ S. Pryor.

DIAMOND ring, Tiffany setting, cheap for cash. Call 31 South Broad street.

FINE Grafonola half price; easy terms. C. F. B., Box 3, Journal.

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MONEY LOANED
ON
COTTON

WHEN placed in our warehouse we will charge only reasonable storage, and loan at 6 cents per pound, on basis Number Four good middling, at seven per cent per year. Charging only actual time money is used. Woodward Investment Co., Atlanta.

WE PAY

HIGHEST cash prices for household goods, pianos and office furniture; cash advanced on consignment. Jacobs Auction Co., 51 Decatur Street. M. 1434, Atl. 2285.

WE PAY highest cash prices for household goods, pianos and office furniture. Cash advanced on consignment. Central Auction Co., 12 East Mitchell st. Bell phone Main 2424.

WANTED—Bowser oil tank in good condition., Stimson computing spring scales and fireproof iron safe, not less than 3½x4 feet. J. A. Grant, Postmaster, Alto, Ga.

DROP A CARD WILL bring cash for old clothes and shoes. "The Vestiare," 166 Decatur st.

WANTED—An electrolier. Must be in perfect shape. Price must be reasonable. L. F. J., Box 32, Journal.

GET our rent list; all size houses, apartments. Turman & Calhoun, 203 Empire.

ARE YOU DEAF? See Personal Column. GENERAL ACOUSTIC CO.

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MADAM PAULINI

HAS returned to Atlanta. Will thank the Atlanta people for past and future patronage. Located 265 Whitehall. 10 a. m. to 8 p. m. daily, except Sunday.

MONEY TO LOAN

WHEN YOU WANT TO BORROW MONEY $25.00 OR MORE
WE WILL LOAN YOU WHAT YOU NEED
On Furniture, Pianos, Etc.

THIS company has set out to render a practical service to borrowers, loaning money at legal rates and on a repayment plan that is both practicable and reasonable, guaranteeing you fair treatment, quick service and a courtesy often lacking in transactions of this kind.

CITIZENS' LOAN CO.,
PHONE MAIN 3771; ATL. PHONE 677.
413-14 PETERS BLDG.
7 Peachtree, Corner Viaduct.

LOANS $25.00 AND UP
On Furniture, Pianos, etc.

WE ARE a new company, organized for the purpose of loaning money to working men and ladies keeping house at the lowest possible rate of interest. We positively make no charges for commission, drafting papers, or any other so-called charge, but only ask you to pay the rate permitted by the laws of the state. Our easy payment plan allows you to pay us back to suit your income. We also protect you from publicity, and extend every courtesy to make the carrying of a loan satisfactory to you in every way.

Open Saturday evening till 9 o'clock.

GUARANTEE LOAN CO.,
Room 318 Atlanta National Bank Bldg., Bell Phone Main 440.
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$50,000 HOME FUNDS

TO LOAN on Atlanta homes at 6 per cent. Unlimited money for business property at lowest rate. See or write and will call. S. W. Carson, 413-14 Empire bldg., corner Broad and Marietta sts.

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LOANS MADE TO SALARIED PEOPLE

AT LEGAL rates, easy terms. Fulton Loan and Discount Co., 508-09 3rd Nat'l Bank bldg.

IF IT is a loan on desirable improved city property we have the money.
T. J. BETTES & CO.,
Mortgage Loans.
Ivy 7811, Atlanta 1983. 1020 Candler Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN—At 6, 7, 8 per cent on Atlanta and suburban real estate, in sums of $500 to $2,000, and at 6 per cent on store property. Dunson & Gay, 409 Equitable.

MONEY FOR SALARIED PEOPLE.
AND others upon their own names. Cheap rates; easy payments; confidential. Scott & Co., Room 820 Austell bldg.

WE HAVE some funds on hand for first mortgage loans and good purchase money notes. Submit what you have. Turman & Calhoun, 203 Empire bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN either straight or on monthly plan on Atlanta and suburban property. Foster & Robson, 11 Edgewood ave.

MONEY TO LOAN—Will buy some good purchase money notes. L. T. C., Box 132, care Journal.

MONEY to loan on Atlanta real estate. W. B. Smith, 708 Fourth National Bank bldg.

MONEY to lend on improved real estate. C. O. McGehee, Jr., 622-624 Empire bldg.

WANTED—MONEY

WANTED—From private party $500. 3 to 5 years on high, new renting property; will pay 9 per cent interest; no commission. Address good "Security," Box 50, care Journal.

WOULD like a loan of $2,500 on my new residence, value $6,000. Would pay 8 per cent, no commission. Physician, Box 50, care Journal.

WANTED MONEY—SMALL LOAN ON TWO VACANT LOTS, CLOSE TO CAR. EIGHT PER CENT AND FEE. PHONE IVY 552.

WE CAN LEND your money on improved Atlanta property at 7 to 8 per cent. Foster & Robson, 11 Edgewood ave.

WANTED—$500.00; good security, no commission, 6 or 12 months, gilt-edge. Loan deed. Box 193, East Point, Ga.

WANTED—From private party, $12,000, on farm worth $35,000. Farm, Box 109, care Journal.

PURCHASE MONEY NOTES

REAL ESTATE purchase money notes bought and closed up promptly. Send details of transaction. J., Box 16, care Journal.

WANTED—To buy first or second mortgage purchase money notes on good property. Miss O. L., Box 75, care Journal.

WILL buy first and second mortgage purchase money notes. G., Box 126, care Journal.

MONEY on hand for first mortgage notes. No delay. Otis & Holliday, Peters bldg.

STOCKS AND BONDS

FOR SALE—One hundred shares Georgia Railway and Power common stock in block of 50 shares each. Submit offer. Address J. D. W., Box 50, care Journal.

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HAIR-DRESSING STORE.
EVERY WOMAN SHOULD SAVE.

HER hair combings. We will either buy them and your cut hair or make you a beautiful switch, curls or transformation. We match hair any color, length and weight. We sell switches, curls and transformations. Easy payment plan. We are biggest dealers in hair goods and hair ornaments in the south. Write today for prices and full information. Agents wanted in every town in Georgia. The S. A. Clayton Co., 18 E. Hunter st., Atlanta, Ga. Main 1769. Atlanta 5645-B.

WE WANT your contribution to the Christmas and relief fund to the Salvation Army. We are unexcelled for efficiency, constructiveness and economy and our present need is great. Make your check payable to the Salvation Army and mail today to Brigadier Crawford, 302 Peck building, Atlanta, Ga. Phone Ivy 4790-L.

INEXCUSABLE TO REMAIN DEAF NOW. WITH THE ACOUSTICON YOU HEAR IN THE HOME, CHURCH, THEATER. LET US CONVINCE YOU. CALL TODAY.
GENERAL ACOUSTIC CO.,
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FLY SCREENS. PRICE & THOMAS.
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Office and salesroom, 62 N. Pryor. Ivy 4203.

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62 N. Pryor. Phone Bell Ivy 4203.

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HORSES TO HIRE.
Governor's Horse Guard, Ivy 716.

PILES CURED. No pain. No knife. Special diseases of men and women. Dr. Holbrook, specialist. McKenzie bldg.

SMOKE EE-M TOBACCO FOR CATARRH, Bronchitis, Asthma and Colds. 10c bags. Your druggist or EE-M Co., Atlanta, Ga.

MAKERS of The Only Tailor-made Coat made in Atlanta. Ivy 8641. 94 N. Forsyth street.

$2.50 WE WANT rooms to tint at $2.50 a room. White labor. M. 4807-J.

SONGS, MUSIC AND DANCING

HURST DANCING SCHOOL, 44½ E. Hunter st., Main 969. We guarantee you to dance. Teaching every afternoon and evening, by Prof. and Mrs. E. S. Hurst.

TEACHER OF PIANO

PROF. ALBITZ, 159 Capitol, now open. Terms reasonable. M. 3822-J.

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FOR BEST DANCE MUSIC, piano alone or full orchestra, call Miss Howard, Decatur 151.

LANE'S Dancing Studio, 217½ Peachtree st. All the new dances. Phone Ivy 5786.

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BUSINESS BROKERS,
ROOMS 724 and 725,
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POSSIBLY the most desirable ROOMING HOUSE (14 rooms) we have ever had to offer, practically in heart of city, beautifully and newly furnished, nicest class of regular roomers, filled to overflowing, at tip-top prices. Can be bought before Christmas for the give-away price of $650.00. Act today. Owner's business requires moving at once to principal city of neighboring state.

WATCH!—These ads changed daily—WATCH! ABOVE FOR SALE BY WARE & HARPER.

With best wishes to our friends and patrons for a Merry Christmas and Prosperous New Year
YOUNG-ROSSER-GOODROE CO.,
Business Brokers

MUNICIPAL and community write-ups in The Journal bring big results. Boards of trade, mayors or others interested are requested to write The Journal. The cost is nominal and we furnish without cost an experienced man to do the writing and assist in raising the finances.

WANTED—Advertisers contemplating placing a product on the market or who may not be obtaining results commensurate with the expenditures, will be advised and incur no obligation. Address the Daily Newspaper Club, World bldg., New York City.

WANTED PARTNER—A good office man with five to eight thousand dollars cash in a well established wholesale fruit and produce brokerage business. Address "Produce," Box 37, care Journal.

WANTED—Partner to take half interest in cafe in center of city doing good business, or will sell out to right party. Will give terms. Address B., Box 24, care Journal.

ELEVEN-ROOM boarding house, completely furnished. Close in. Owner leaving city. Will sell for $200.00 cash. Phone Atlanta 3976.

MILK depot for sale; well equipped; good location; bargain at $200. See Young-Rosser-Goodroe Co., 516 Peters bldg.

HARTWELL, Ga., town of 3,000, has no tinner. If interested in moving here write with stamp. P. O. Box 242, Hartwell, Ga.

SMALL grocery business, part cash, balance monthly. Box 376, Eatonton, Ga.

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AUTOMOBILES REPAINTED

TOPS recovered and repainted. Wheels, axles and springs repaired. High-grade work at reasonable prices.
JOHN M. SMITH CO.,
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OUR storage facilities are first class; our mechanical department is better. We are open day and night. Can we serve you? Phone Ivy 6983. 70 Ivy street.
E. H. ODOM BROS. CO.

DID IT FREEZE AND BUST?
HAVE IT WELDED BY
RIDDELL BROS.
16-18 E. Mitchell St., Atlanta, Ga.
GUARANTEED TO BE AS GOOD AS NEW.

OWNER leaving city, one new, model 1915 Metz roadster, cheap, run only about fifteen hundred miles, very thing for salesman or doctor. Atlanta phone 1918, or call at 322 Austell building.

HULL & DUBE

AUTO repairing and storage. Phone Ivy 1869. 12 Porter place.

ATLANTA RADIATOR CO.
Automobile Radiator Work Exclusively.
Bell Ivy 7434. 76 Ivy Street.

FOR QUICK SALE and ready cash, will accept any reasonable offer for my Warren "30," in firstclass condition. See Vail, care Studebaker Corporation.

WHITE GAS AUTOMOBILE for sale, in first-class condition; need the money; will sacrifice for immediate cash. Address, Owner, Box 220, care Journal.

FIVE-PASSENGER Hudson, 37, Delco system; electric lights and starter. Part cash and monthly payments. 18 "A." W. Baker. Ivy 2939.

ELECTRIC COUPE AND CHARGING BOARD, IN PERFECT CONDITION. NEW EXIDE BATTERIES. PRICE $700. IVY 5893.

ONE 1912 Stevens-Duryea, self-starter and in perfect order, $1,150. Hull & Dube, 12 Porter Place. Ivy 1969.

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MUST SELL at once, E. M. F. "30" cheap for immediate cash. Address P. O. Box 298.

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AUTO PARTS, brass beds, silverware, metal goods, repaired and made new. Simmons Plating Works, 125 South Pryor. Main 1147.

Wanted

1914 CADILLAC WANTED—For 1914 Cadillac, jam-up condition and fully equipped, I will give north-side bungalow, fronting car line, good home section, or store lot on Peachtree road, opposite Brookhaven. Address E., 80, care Journal.

MOTORCYCLES

For Sale

HARLEY-DAVIDSON MOTOR CO.,
222 Peachtree
Southern Branch—Retail Dept.
Atlanta, Ga.

FOR SALE at a sacrifice. Harley-Davidson motorcycle. In good condition. Must sell at once. Call Mr. Jones, Ivy 1624, Atlanta 3805, or 531. Candler Bldg.

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PRIVATE Jewish family desires Jewish young man to board and room. Nice front room, sleeping porch, steam heat, and all modern conveniences. References required and given. Apply at 447½ Washington st., or Private, Box 54, care Journal.

WANTED—Couple of young men or man and wife without children to occupy a nice room; furnace heated, hot and cold water in room, best table, board and service and all conveniences desired. 66 Forrest ave. Ivy 7267.

NICE front rooms with board for gentlemen; furnace heat; car service every 2½ minutes during rush hours. References exchanged. Apply to 154 Peeples st. Phone West 1420-J.

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UNDER new management. Rates reasonable.

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DESIRABLE front room and board for couple or men; reasonable rates; north side. Ivy 152.

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WANTED—BOARD

WANTED—Board by a young man, with a convenient place to keep a motorcycle; prefer a private family. Will give reference. Will change about 10th of January. C. C., Box 7, care Journal.

WANTED—Room and board with private family. Must be close in. State all details in reply. Drummer, Forsyth theater.

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"Premier Carrier of the South."

Arrival and departure of passenger trains, Atlanta.

The following schedule figures are published only as information and are not guaranteed.

No.	Arrive From—		No.	Depart To—	
35	New York	5:45 am	36	New York	12:01 am
23	Jack'ville	5:55 am	23	Kan. City	6:15 am
43	Wash'ton	6:05 am	20	Columbus	6:15 am
1	Jack'ville	6:10 am	1	Chicago	6:20 am
12	Shreveport	6:30 am	12	Richmond	6:55 am
17	Toccoa	8:10 am	7	Chatta'ga	7:10 am
26	Heflin	8:20 am	32	Ft. Valley	7:15 am
8	Chatta,ga	10:35 am	16	Macon	7:45 am
7	Macon	10:40 am	6	Jack'ville	11:45 am
27	Ft. Valley	10:45 am	38	New York	12:05 pm
21	Columbus	10:50 am	40	Charlotte	12:15 pm
6	Cincinnati	11:35 am	29	Bir'ham	12:25 pm
29	New York	12:10 pm	30	New York	2:25 pm
40	Bir'ham	12:40 pm	15	Chatta'ga	3:00 pm
30	Bir'ham	2:10 pm	39	Bir'ham	3:45 pm
39	Charlotte	4:30 pm	18	Toccoa	4:45 pm
5	Jack'ville	4:45 pm	5	Cincinnati	4:55 pm
37	New York	5:00 pm	22	Columbus	5:10 pm
15	Brunswick	7:00 pm	28	Ft. Valley	5:20 pm
31	Ft. Valley	8:00 pm	10	Macon	5:30 pm
13	Jack'ville	8:10 pm	25	Heflin	5:45 pm
11	Richmond	8:15 pm	13	Cincinnati	8:20 pm
16	Chatta'ga	9:35 pm	44	Wash'ton	8:45 pm
24	Kan. City	9:55 pm	24	Jack'ville	10:05 pm
19	Columbus	10:20 pm	11	Shrevep'rt	10:50 pm
2	Chicago	10:45 pm	2	Jack'ville	10:55 pm
14	Cincinnati	11:30 pm	14	Jack'ville	11:40 pm

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City Ticket Office, No. 1 Peachtree street.

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ONE-HALF of large store in heart of city. Good retail stand at a low rate. Apply Bennett's, 25 S. Broad.

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ONE entire room or desk space; terms reasonable. 612 Walton bldg.

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FOR RENT—ROOMS

Unfurnished

201 EAST HUNTER

THREE-ROOM FLAT for rent for housekeeping. Very reasonable.

ENTIRE upper floor with bath and phone. Main 1547-J. Close in with all conveniences. $16. 206 Rawson street.

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THREE nice connecting rooms, suitable for light housekeeping; reasonable. 311 Formwalt street.

NICE room and kitchenette, desirable for light housekeeping; reasonable. 395 Whitehall st.

FOUR connecting rooms, all conveniences; close in; reasonable. 38 E. Alexander. Ivy 228.

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THREE connecting, steam-heated unfurnished, first floor rooms. 341 Washington street.

TWO rooms at 104 W. Harris street, with lights, all conveniences, $10. Adults.

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Furnished

STEAM-HEATED ROOM, COMPLETELY FURNISHED; IN WALKING DISTANCE. $15.00 APPLY 99 WEST PEACHTREE. APT. NO. 9. PHONE.

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FURNISHED rooms for rent; also light housekeeping rooms with kitchenette. Call Mrs. R. D. Harper, Ivy 6187-L. 152 Courtland st.

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ELEGANTLY furnished rooms, steam heat, all conveniences, with or without board; reasonable. Call Ivy 7892-J. 485 Peachtree.

NICELY furnished room, connecting bath, steam-heated apartment, north side; walking distance. Private home. Ivy 3805.

THREE nice, sunny, front rooms, completely furnished for housekeeping, with sink, hot and cold water. 208-A Capitol ave.

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FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping; also bed rooms. Inquire 161 S. Forsyth st.

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OUR WEEKLY RENT LIST gives full description of everything for rent. Call for one or let us mail it to you. Forrest & George Adair.

CALL, write or phone for our Rent Bulletin. Edwin P. Ansley Rent Dept., second floor Realty Trust bldg. Ivy 1600; Atlanta 363.

TWO stores, six rooms and reception hall, all modern conveniences, up to date, $22.50, 136 E. Georgia ave. Call Main 4723.

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FOR RENT—New nine-room, two-story dwelling in Ansley Park, 197 East 17th street. Phone Decatur 663.

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ON EIGHTH ST., just off Peachtree, five and six rooms, all hardwood floors, tile bath, large living room, beautiful kitchen appointments, $20 to $65. New and now ready for occupancy. Apply on premises. 21 E. Eighth street.

SIX-ROOM apartment for rent by the owner. 176 Oglethorpe avenue. This apartment is new. It must be seen to be appreciated. Private entrance. Phone Main 2422 or West 774.

ELEGANT 4-room apartment, steam heat; janitor service and all modern conveniences. 324 Forrest avenue. Apply premises. Phone Ivy 508-J. J. B. Sanders, owner.

TWO newly furnished rooms for light housekeeping; second floor, near bath. Use phone. Call M. 3599-J. Owner.

FOUR large rooms and reception hall. Corner Pulliam and Fair. 2d floor. 617 Atlanta National Bank bldg.

FOUR rooms, yard, garden, fruit, poultry house. 427 Euclid ave. References. Ivy 3568-J.

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FIVE rooms, separate entrance, bungalow, prettiest location Ponce de Leon-Boulevard section, special terms. Phone Ivy 820-J.

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FURNISHED and unfurnished single rooms, three and five-room apartments. Apply 135 Spring st.

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NEW north side seven-room bungalow, never occupied; has hardwood floors; French doors in parlor and dining room, has glass knobs, pressed brick mantel, bookcase in plate glass, mirror door in closet; walls tinted with Keystone washable tint, beautiful electric showers; bath room has tile floor, medicine cabinet, plate glass shelves and towel rods; Nu tile roof, guaranteed ten years, granite front tile porch and furnace heated, street cherted and every convenience. This is an ideal home and must be seen to be appreciated. Price, $5,750, easy terms; would accept vacant lot as cash payment. Call owner, Ivy 2047.

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FOR SALE—A beautiful 5-room bungalow in West End, on a good street, in first class neighborhood, worth $3,000, will sell for $1,800. Phone Main 277 or write M., Box 101, care Journal.

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FOR SALE—Good suburban home and truck farm—6-room house, tenant house, barn, etc., all kinds fruit and berries, spring branch. On car line, right at stop; 21 acres. Must sell. P. D. G., Box 22, care Journal.

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—House and lot in Stone Mountain, Ga., also one vacant lot in Kirkwood, Ga. For information apply to J. I. Nash, Stone Mountain, Ga.

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The Real Estate Field

House and Lot at 519 Washington Street Is Sold for $5,750—Good Volume of Realty Transfers Go to Record on Christmas Eve

A sale of south side property announced Thursday is one of the largest real estate deals closed during the naturally dull holiday season.

E. W. Bigham purchased from Mrs. Lula W. Griffin and Miss Annie J. Willingham the house and lot at 519 Washington street for $5,750. The house is a two-story, eight-room structure on a lot 50x190 feet, on the west side of Washington street near Ormond.

The deal was handled through Montefiore Selig.

Several interesting deeds were registered in the day's property transfers which follow:

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

WARRANTY DEEDS

$6,900 and other considerations—Mrs. May Inman Gray et al. to Walton Realty company, lot on northwest corner Lucile avenue and Hopkins street, 96x150 feet; also lot on north side Lucile avenue, 144 feet west of Hopkins street, 144x150 feet; lot on southwest corner Lucile avenue and Atwood streets, 150x336 feet; lot on north side Lucile avenue, 50 feet east of Langhorn street, 150x150 feet; lot south side of Lucile avenue, 100 feet west of Langhorn street, 150x174 feet; lot southeast corner Lucile avenue and Muse streets, 179x51 feet; lot north side of Lucile avenue, 150 feet west of Langhorn street, 100x150 feet; lot west side of Langhorn street, 160 feet north of Lucile avenue, 49x150 feet; lot on southeast corner Langhorn and Greenwich streets, 160x388 feet; lot on southwest corner Langhorn and Greenwich streets, 160x388 feet; lot on southwest corner Langhorn and Greenwich streets, 130x196 feet; December 17.

$1,000—Mary L. Ragan to Lawrence Alston, lot on east side McDaniel street, 50x103 feet; July 29, 1909.

$60—Atlanta Cemetery association to J. F. Martin, lot 8, block 6, North View cemetery; December 17.

Exchange of lots—Mrs. Eva G. Copeland to Atlanta Cemetery association, lots 15 and 16, block 7, North View cemetery; December 23.

$2,900—C. C. Wilson to W. T. Stafford, lot on north side Ninth street at intersection of north and south lines between land lots 54 and 106, 60x185 feet; December 16.

$400—J. K. Ottley to McKenzie Trust company, lot on north side "Highland Drive," 370 feet southeast of Peachtree road, 60x40 feet; December 21.

$1,400—Mrs. Carrie J. Rodgers to Frank O. Headley, lot on Clouds alley, being lot 8 of Blalock property, land lot 50, fourteenth district, 39x148 feet; December 23.

$10 and value—James Aldredge to W. M. Aldredge, lot on south side Bonnie-brae avenue, 317 feet east of Allen avenue, 52x147 feet; July 21.

$1,500—R. I. Barge to James Aldredge, same property; October 30, 1911.

$2,000—McKenzie Trust company to H. A. Tisdel, lot on north side Highland Drive, 370 feet southeast of Peachtree road, 40x60 feet;

$300—Jasper Craig to S. A. Fraser, No. 360 Simms street, 57x100 feet; December 23.

$967—T. N. Bradshaw to J. R. Denton, lot on east side Atwood street, 784 feet north of Sells avenue, 80x157 feet; November 28.

$1,073—W. W. Strong to T. N. Bradshaw, same property; December 16, 1913.

$8,000—E. B. Stuart to E. B. Durham, No. 155 Forrest avenue, 50x150 feet; December 22.

LOAN DEEDS

$3,000—E. B. Durham to Freedman's Aid society of the M. E. church, No. 155 Forrest avenue, 50x150 feet. December 22.

$4,000—W. Z. Turner to J. C. DeFoor, lot west side Walker street, 79 feet north of Trenholm street, 41x79 feet. December 23.

$1,500—Mrs. Hilda Perdue to Mrs. Mary L. Stranahan, lot east side Holderness street, 364 feet north of Sells avenue, 46x200 feet. December 11.

BOND FOR TITLE.

$1,500.—T. C. Holmes and E. T. Luckie to A. L. Butler, Jr., lot 200 feet east of northeast corner Peachtree avenue and Lexie street, 50x216 feet. November 15.

QUIT-CLAIM DEED.

$3,500—Mrs. Mary McCutcheon to F. A. Quillian, Nos. 464, 464½ and 466 East Fair street, 50x96 feet. December 17.

$1—James S. Akers to W. T. Downing, lot east side North Jackson street, 341 feet south of North avenue, 2x130 feet. December 22.

$1—W. C. Estes to Jasper Craig, lot east side Simms street, 103 feet south of Roy street, 57x100 feet. December 11.

$1—B. M. Wooley to same, same property. December 17.

$1—Mrs. E. M. Henderson to same, same property. December 10.

$5—W. S. Burnett to J. R. Denton, lot east side Atwood street, 184 feet north of Sells avenue, 80x157 feet. November 28.

$5.—West End Heights Land company to J. R. Denton, lot east side Hopkins street, 265 feet south of Greensferry avenue, 83x255 feet. September 12.

$5—Asa G. Candler to Walton Realty company, lot northwest corner Lucile avenue and Hopkins street, 96x150 feet; lot north side Lucile avenue 144 feet west of Hopkins street, 144x150 feet; lot southwest corner Lucile avenue and Atwood street, 150x336 feet; lot north side Lucile avenue, 50 feet east of Langhorn street, 150x150 feet; lot south side Lucile avenue, 100 feet west of Langhorn street, 150x174 feet; lot southeast corner Lucile avenue and Muse street, 51x179 feet; lot north side Lucile avenue, 150 feet north of Langhorn street, 100x150 feet; lot west side Langhorn street, 160 feet north of Lucile avenue, 49x150 feet; lot southeast corner Langhorn and Greenwich streets 160x391 feet; lot southwest corner Langhorn and Greenwich streets, 130x196 feet, December 17.

DEED TO SECURE DEBT

$10—W. T. Downing to Nat Kaiser Investment company, No. 437 North Jackson street, 124x130 feet. December 22.

MORTGAGES

$600—Amanda M. Eaton to T. H. Payne, 90.6 acres on southwest corner land lot 25, seventeenth district. December 18.

$260—Jasper Craig to Merchants and Mechanics Banking and loan company, lot east side Sims street, 103 feet south of Roy street, 57x100 feet. December 23.

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222½ ACRES, 11 miles from Atlanta, graded road in a mile and a half of the farm; has 35 acres in high river bottom, 20 acres branch bottom, 50 acres in open upland, good 50-acre pasture fenced. Nice lot of timber; home place and two tenant houses. Plenty of barn room. This is an ideal located stock and general farm. Price, $45.00 per acre; $2,000 cash; 8 years' time on balance. Brotherton & Callahan, East Point, Ga. Bell phone 416.

25 ACRES on Jonesboro Road near Forrest Park, 8½ miles of Atlanta, good three-room house, spring and two branches, some fruit and a good piece of truck land. Price, $2,800. Terms. Brotherton & Callahan, East Point, Ga. Bell phone 416.

FIFTY little farms, blending all that is desirable of both city and rural life, adjoining "classic" College Park, the suburban city of fine schools and churches. W. J. Gilbert, College Park, Ga.

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FARMS FOR SALE—Near Fort Valley; will exchange for Atlanta property. J. T. Kimbrough, 309 Atlanta National Bank bldg.

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SMALL truck farm on car line. Must be productive and reasonable rent. "Trucker," Box 117 care Journal.

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5-R. H., 232 Richardson St.	35.00
5-R. H., 144 Highland Ave.	40.00
4-R. H., 675 Ponce de Leon Ave.	40.00
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10-R. H., 386 Whitehall St.	40.00
10-R. H., 147 N. Jackson St.	50.00
10-R. H., 130 McDonough St., Decatur	45.00
9-R. H., 308 S. Pryor St.	37.50
8-R. H., 105 W. Harris St.	45.00
8-R. H., 489 Spring St.	40.00
8-R. H., 20 W. Third St.	33.35
8-R. H., 1 S. Gordon St.	40.00
8-R. H., 241 Lawton St.	15.00
6-R. H., 601 Edgewood Ave.	35.00
6-R. H., 130 Greenwich Ave.	32.50
6-R. H., 130 Waverly Way	35.00
6-R. H., 1184 DeKalb Ave.	22.50
6-R. H., 326 Lawton St.	25.00
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Freight Rate Decision

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Freight rate increases on hides and pelts, in carloads, from Oklahoma points to St. Louis and eastern destinations, were held today by the interstate commerce commission to be unjustified and were ordered cancelled.

It was decided the Oklahoma rate should not be more than three cents a hundred pounds higher than that maintained from Wichita, Kan., to St. Louis and other points and not less than 5¼ cents lower than the rate from Fort Worth, Tex.

The commission prescribed a general readjustment of rates on hides and pelts to eastern destinations, based upon "the proportional rate from Oklahoma points to East St. Louis and the local rates beyond."

Discount Rate Reduced

BERLIN, Dec. 24.—The Imperial Bank of Germany has reduced the discount rates to 5 per cent as it was before the war. This speaks well for trade and financial conditions in that country.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Associated Press.)

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 24.—Turpentine, firm, 42½c; sales, none; receipts 354; shipments two; stock 35,259.

Rosin, firm, sales none; receipts 1,843; shipments—stock 144,350. Quote: B, and D, $3.15! E, $3.17½; F, $3.20; G, $3.22½; H, $3.25; I, $3.50; K, $4.00; M, $4.50; N, $5.50; window glass, $5.75; water white, $5.80.

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A GOOD six or seven-room house, in West End, convenient to Peeples or Lee streets schools, or in Inman Park, convenient to schools, to cost not over $4,000. Have $500 ACTUAL CASH, and a 12 per cent renting proposition consisting of good four-room house on lot 50x150, in a hustling south eorgia railroad center of 7,500 population, near business center, worth $1,250, will put it in at $1,000. Rents all the time for $10 per month. Water and sewer. Will pay difference in very short time. See Mr. Rountree AT ONCE.

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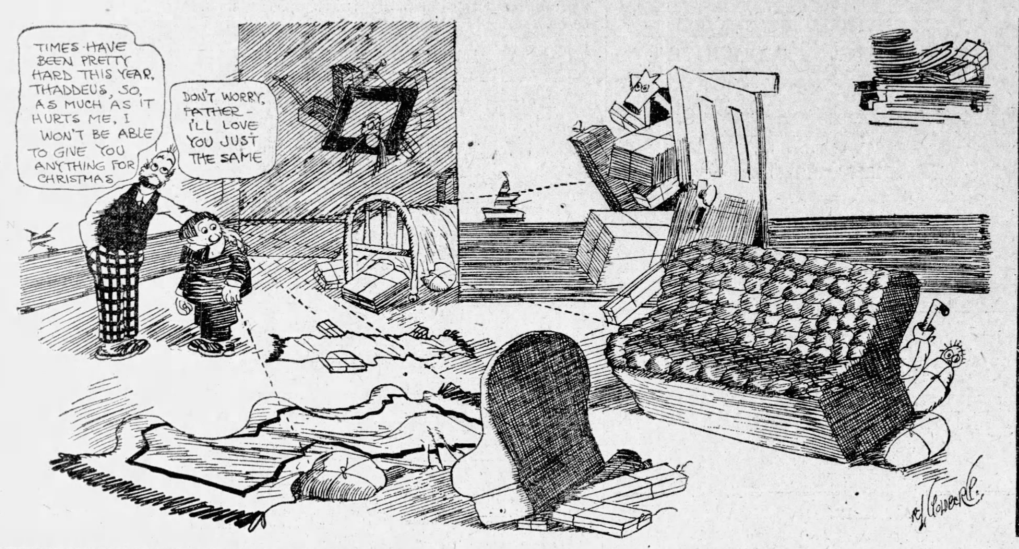
TIMES HAVE BEEN PRETTY HARD THIS YEAR, THADDEUS, SO, AS MUCH AS IT HURTS ME, I WON'T BE ABLE TO GIVE YOU ANYTHING FOR CHRISTMAS
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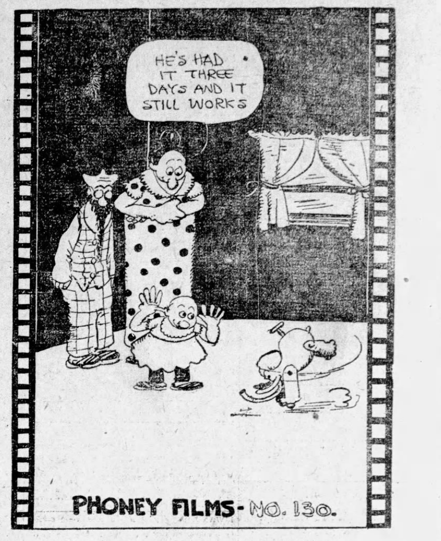
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FOREIGN DEMAND CAUSED THE ADVANCE IN COTTON

Market in New York Closed 6 to 10 Points Higher Than Previous Close

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—There was renewed realizing for over the holidays at the opening of the cotton market, but offerings were well taken by investment, trade buying or covering. First prices were 2 to 3 points higher in sympathy with the steady cables. December notices were issued to the extent of about 2,000 bales, according to estimates, but caused no liquidation of consequence. The near months sold 5 points net higher during the early trading and later deliveries worked some 5 to 7 points above last night's closing on the continued steadiness of the spot situation.

Slight reactions under realizing followed the early advance, but the market became very dull around midday and held within 2 or 3 points of the best.

There was very little trading during the middle of the afternoon but prices remained steady and about 5 to 6 points net higher.

NEW YORK COTTON

The following were the ruling prices in the exchange today:

Tone, steady; middling, 7 65-100c, quiet.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Close.	Prev Close.
nJanuary	7.51	7.51	7.51	7.51	7.51	7.44
nMarch	7.65	7.71	7.65	7.69	7.69	7.62
nMay	7.82	7.89	7.80	7.88	7.87	7.80
nJuly	8.00	8.08	7.98	8.07	8.06	7.98
nOctober	8.27	8.31	8.23	8.30	8.29	8.23
oDecember	7.25	7.30	7.25	7.30	7.33	7.23

Note.—nNew contract. oOld contract.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 24.—There was little selling pressure in the early trading in cotton today. Yesterday's profit taking operations were not carried over and prices did better as a result. Trading months stood four to five points up at the end of the first half hour of business.

The market was dull but steady throughout the morning. At times there were recessions of a couple of points but toward noon prices were 5 to 6 points up.

The heavy export movement for the day, 87,557 bales, to foreign ports was a bullish influence in the afternoon session. At 1:30 prices were six to seven points over yesterday's close.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

The following were the ruling prices on the exchange today:

Tone, steady; middling, 7 3-16c, steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Close.	Prev. Close.
nJan.	7.18	7.25	7.18	7.25	7.24	7.19
nMarch	7.43	7.51	7.41	7.49	7.48	7.38
May	7.63	7.70	7.59	7.69	7.57	7.58
nJuly	7.82	7.91	7.82	7.91	7.89	7.78
nOct.	8.12	8.14	8.10	8.14	8.12	8.06
oDec.	....	....	....	....	7.17	7.09

Note—n, new contract; o, old contract.

NEW ORLEANS SPOT COTTON.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 24.—Spot cotton steady. Sales on the spot 710 bales; to arrive 6,250; good ordinary 5 7-16c; strict good ordinary, 5 15-16c; middling, 7 3-16c; strict middling, 7 7-16c; good middling, 7 13-16c; strict good middling, 8 3-16c; receipts 19,980; stock, 324,321.

SPOT COTTON MARKET

Atlanta, steady, 7¼c.
New York, quiet, 7 65-100c.
New Orleans, quiet, 7 3-16c.
Liverpool, quiet, 4 53-100d.
Galveston, middling, 7⅝c.
Savannah, middling, 7¼c.
Norfolk, middling, 7¼c.
Augusta, steady, 7 7-16c.
Memphis, middling, 7⅛c.
Charleston, middling, 7⅛c.
St Louis, middling, 7¼c.
Mobile, middling, 7 1-16c.
Little Rock, middling, 7c.
Wilmington, middling, 7¼c.
Houston, middling, 7 9-16c.
Dallas, steady, 7c.
Philadelphia, steady, 7 90-100c.
Boston, steady, 7 65-100c.
Baltimore, steady, 7½c.

DAILY INTERIOR RECEIPTS

	Last Year.	Today.
Augusta		2,953
Memphis	6,256	4,075
St. Louis		3,645
Cincinnati		7,218
Houston	12,014	15,219

COMPARATIVE PORT RECEIPTS.

	Last year.	Today
Galveston	11,233	19,647
New Orleans	18,440	19,980
Mobile	638	587
Savannah		12,873
Charleston		4,067
Wilmington	700	2,242
Norfolk	1,000	3,059
New York		46
Boston	66	568
Pacific Coast		6,081
Total at all ports	32,287	69,152

COTTON OIL MARKET

	Open.	Close.
Spots		5.70@6.00
December	5.60@6.00	5.75@6.00
January	5.70@5.75	5.75@5.77
February	5.95@5.95	5.90@5.97
March	5.98@6.03	6.04@6.05
April	6.09@6.14	6.10@6.20
May	6.25@6.29	6.33@6.35
June	6.36@6.41	6.45@6.50
July	6.46@6.59	6.56@6.58

Tone, steady; sales, 5,300.

WHEAT IN CHICAGO WAS STEADY ALL THE SESSION

Wheat Closed 1-8c Off to 1-4c Up—Corn, Oats, Pork, Lard and Sides Strong

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Bearish Argentine advices depressed wheat. Opened unchanged to ⅜ lower, then underwent a moderate general decline.

Renewal of foreign buying here led to a wheat rally. Closed steady, a sixteenth down to ¼@⅜c up compared with last night.

Corn gave way with wheat. Opened from a shade off to an advance of ¼@⅜, followed by a reaction to slightly below last night's level.

Corn strengthened on a fresh advance in wheat. Prices closed at a net gain of ¾@⅞@1c.

Oats held comparatively steady.

Unloading by packers weakened pork. Otherwise, offerings of provisions were light, and the market correspondingly firm.

CHICAGO QUOTATIONS.

The following were the ruling prices in the exchange today:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
WHEAT—					
Dec.	125⅛	126½	119	126	125⅛
May	128¾	129⅝	128⅛	129	128¾
July	119¾	120⅝	119½	119⅞	120
CORN—					
Dec.	65¾	66¼	65⅝	66¼	65⅝
May	71⅞	72⅜	71⅝	72⅝	71¾
July	72½	73⅜	72⅜	72½	72½
OATS—					
Dec.	49	49⅜	49	49¼	48⅞
May	53¼	53⅝	53	53½	53⅛
PORK—					
Jan.	18.25	18.35	18.25	18.35	18.35
May	18.85	19.00	18.82	18.95	18.85
LARD—					
Jan.	10.32	10.32	10.30	10.32	10.30
May	10.50	10.55	10.50	10.55	10.47
RIBS—					
Jan.	10.10	10.17	10.10	10.12	10.10
May	10.48	10.50	10.42	10.47	10.45

RECEIPTS IN CHICAGO.

	Today.	Est. Tomor'w.
Wheat	173 cars	200 cars
Corn	15 cars	313 cars
Oats	247 cars	702 cars
Hogs	30,000 head	20,000 head

BRADSTREET'S VISIBLE SUPPLY

Bradstreet's: Wheat 7,916,052 bushels; corn 528,863 bushels.

ST. LOUIS CASH QUOTATIONS

The following were the cash quotations on grain and the previous close:

	Close.	Prev. Close.
WHEAT—		
No. 2 red	1.23 @1.24½	1.23 @1.24
No. 2 hard	1.23½@1.24½	1.23½@1.24½
CORN—		
No. 2	65½	65½
No. 2 white	67	67
OATS—		
No. 2	48 @48½	48½
No. 2 white	50	50

CHICAGO CASH QUOTATIONS

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Wheat, No. 2, red, $1.23½@1.26½; No. 2, hard, $1.25¾@1.26¾; No. 2, northern, $1.28.

Corn, No. 2, yellow, 66½@67c.
Oats, standard, 49½@50c.
Rye, No. 2, $1.11½.
Barley, 60@71c.
Timothy, $5.50@7.25.
Clover, $12.50@15.00.
Pork, $17.00.
Lard, $10.37.
Ribs, $9.75@10.37.

KANSAS CITY CASH KUOTATIONS

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 24.—Wheat: No. 2 hard, $1.18½@1.20½; No. 2 red, $1.18¼@1.19.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, 67@67½c; No. 2 white, 66½@67c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 48½@52c; No. 2 mixed, 44½@47½c.

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Butter, firm; receipts, 3,455 tubs. Creamery, extras, per pound, 34½@35c; creamery, 35½@36c; firsts, 31@34c; creamery, seconds, 28@30c; creamery thirds, 23@24c; creamery, held extra 31@31½c; creamery, held, firsts, 27½@30½c; creamery, held, seconds, 25@27c; state dairy tubs, finest, 31@32c; state, dairy, good to fair, 27@30c; state, dairy, common to fair, 26@26c; process, extras, 25@26; process, firsts, 28½@24½c; process, lower grades, 23@23c; imitation creamery, firsts, 23½@24c; ladies, current make, firsts, 23½@24c; ladies, current make, lower grades, 20@21½c; nnuup current, make seconds, 21½c; ladies, current make, lower grades, 20@21½c; packing stock, cold, fine, 21@21½c; current make, No. 20c; current make, lower grades, 18@19½c.

Cheese, steady; receipts, 2,208. State whole milk, colored specials, 15¾@16c; state w. m., fresh, white special, 15¾@16c; state w. m. fresh colored av. fancy, 15¼@15½c; state, w. m., fresh, white, average fancy, 14½c; state w. m., fresh, undergrades, 14½@14½c; state w. m., fresh, daisies, 15@15½c; Wisconsin w. m., fresh, young America's, 15c. Wisconsin, w. m., fresh, daisies, 14½@14½c; Wisconsin, w. m., fresh, twins, 14@15c; Wisconsin, w. m., fresh, flats, 14¾@15c; state skims, held, specials 12½@13½c; state, skims, fresh, specials, 12@14½c; skims, good to choice, 11@11½c; skims, poor to fair, 7@10½c; full, skims, as to quality, 3@5c.

Eggs, steady; receipts, 4,394 cases. Fresh gathered, extra fine dozen, 39@44c; extra firsts, 36c; seconds, 31@35c; thirds and poorer, 20@23c; dirties, No. 1, 21@22c; dirties, No. 2, and poorer, 16@20c; checks, poor to prime, 20@20½c; checks, under grades, 14@19c; refrigerator, special, marks, fancy, charges paid, 24½@25c; firsts, charges paid, 24c; seconds, charges paid, 22½@23½c; undergrades, 19@22c; state, Penn and nearby hennery, whites, prime to fancy, large, new laid, 52@55c; state, Penn, and nearby hennery, whites, defective, 40@50c; gathered, whites, as to size and quality, 35@43c; western gathered, whites 28@40c; state, Penn, and nearby hennery, browns, 35@43c; gathered,

Atlanta Live Stock

(By W. H. White, Jr., of White Provision Co.,

Good to choice steers, 900 to 1,000 pounds average, $5.50@6.50.

Good steers, 800 to 900 pounds average, $5.25@5.75.

Medium to good steers, 700 to 800 pounds average, $5.00@5.25.

Good to choice beef cows, 800 to 900 pounds, $4.50@5.50.

Medium to good cows, 700 to 750 pounds, $4.25@5.00.

Good to choice heifers, 750 to 850, $4.75@5.50.

Medium to good heifers, 650 to 750 pounds, $4.25@4.75.

The above represents ruling prices of good quality beef cattle. Inferior grades and dairy types selling lower.

Medium to common steers, if fat, 800 to 900 pounds, $4.50@5.50.

Medium to common cows, if fat, 700 to 800 pounds, $4.00@4.50.

Mixed common, $3.50@4.00.

Good butcher bulls, $3.50@4.50.

Prime hogs, 160 to 200 pounds average, $7.10@7.35.

Good butcher hogs, 140 to 160 pounds average, $7.00@7.10.

Good butcher pigs, 100 to 140 pounds average, $6.75@7.00.

Light pigs, 80 to 100 pounds average, $6.50@6.75.

Heavy and rough hogs, 200 to 300 pounds average, $6.50@7.00.

Above quotations apply to cornfed hogs. Mast and peanut fattened 1½@2c under.

Fair run of cattle in yards this week. Market practically unchanged.

Good supply of hogs. Market lower.

LIVE STOCK BY WIRE

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Hogs: Receipts, 38,000, weak; bulk, $6.90@7.05; light, $6.60@7.05; mixed, $6.75@7.10; heavy, $6.75@7.10; rough, $6.75@6.85; pigs, $5.50@7.10.

Cattle: Receipts, 3,000; strong; native steers, $5.40@10.00; western, $5.10@8.00; cows and heifers, $3.10@8.25; calves, $7.00@9.50.

Sheep: Receipts, 10,000; firm; sheep, $5.60@6.50; yearlings, $6.75@7.70; lambs, $6.50@8.75.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 24.—Hogs: Receipts, 8,000; lower; bulk, $6.95@7.10; heavy, 7.05@7.15; packers and butchers, $7.00@7.10; light, $6.95@7.05; pigs, $6.25@6.75.

Cattle: Receipts, 1,000, steady; prime fed steers, $9.25@10.25; dressed beef steers, $7.25@9.00; southern steers, $5.50@7.50; cows, $4.50@7.25; heifers, $6.25@9.00; stockers, $6.00@8.15.

Sheep: Receipts, 1,000; higher; lambs, $8.00@8.60; yearlings, $6.75@7.60; wethers, $5.50@6.25; ewes, $5.00@6.00.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 24.—Hogs—Receipts, 5,000; steady; pigs and lights, $6.00@7.25; mixed and butchers, $7.00@7.25; good heavy, $7.15@7.25.

Cattle—Receipts, 1,500; strong. Native beef steers, $7.50@10.00; cows and heifers, $5.00@9.25; Texas and Indian steers, $5.75@7.75; cows and heifers, $4.00@6.00; native calves, $6.00@9.25.

Sheep—Receipts, none; steady. Native muttons, $4.50@5.50; lambs, $8.00@8.50; yearlings, $5.50@7.50.

T. N. HUTCHINSON COTTON LETTER.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 24.—Counting the large afloat for Liverpool 422,000 bales against 261,000 last year, the total stock of American cotton there is now but 74,000 bales less than last year. Forwardings for the week to Lancashire mills were as large as last years.

Manchester reports speak of a great improvement in the labor situation and trade in consequence of large government orders for the armies.

Demand from this source seems so urgent that it cannot all be filled in one quarter and our mills are getting a large share. The latest dry goods reports say: "Southern mills today accepted foreign orders for two million pairs of cotton hosiery for shipment."

London announces officially that the London stock exchange will reopen January 4 under most stringent regulations imposed by the treasury in the interest of the nation.

Bad weather continues over the belt and as it has lasted now for over a fortnight, ginnings for the period are likely to be affected. Heavy rains are indicated for central and south Texas with snow storms probable in the northwestern quarter of the belt. The rain storm which caused the floods in the Elpaso section is moving eastward.

It should be followed towards Sunday by severe cold weather.

Liverpool has lost four points more in parity in the past two days, showing that that market is little inclined to follow the advance for the present.

Our market opened a few points higher and ruled dull but steady. Trading and opinion are more evenly balanced. While the recent advance has strengthened confidence, much short interest has been eliminated and spot demand is less urgent. With the decline in stock market and restricted support out of the question. This market, New York and Liverpool will be closed until Monday. Liverpool will not open until Tuesday.

The week's statistics will not be published before Monday.

METAL MARKET.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Lead quiet, $3.75@3.85; London, 19 pounds 2s 6d.

Spelter quiet, $5.55@5.65; London, 26 pounds 17s 6d.

Tin firm, $33.25@34.00.

Copper dull; electrolytic, $13.00@13.50; casting, $13.00@13.25.

Iron quiet and unchanged.

At London: Spot copper, 56 pounds 15s; futures, 57 pounds.

Tin, spot, 148 pounds; futures, 145 pounds.

ESTIMATED COTTON RECEIPTS.

New Orleans expects tomorrow 9,300 to 10,300 bales, against 6,016 bales last year.

Galveston expects tomorrow 19,500 to 20,400 bales, against 9,559 bales last year.

NEW YORK COFFEE MARKET.

	Open	Close.
January		5.98@6.10
March	6.20@6.28	6.15@6.16
May	6.40@6.45	6.33@6.35
July	7.20@7.25	7.15@7.16
September	7.32@7.33	7.28@7.29

Tont steady; sales 18,100.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET IRREGULAR AT THE CLOSE

Union Pacific, Pennsylvania and St. Paul Up—Lehigh Valley Off and Copper Off

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Stocks wavered again at the opening of today's dull market, a number of issues repeating their recent low prices and in some cases going lower. Steel was not quoted in the early dealings, but came out later in a block of 1,500 shares at 48, its minimum. Secondary prices were generally better, Pennsylvania, Reading, Union Pacific, Canadian Pacific, Southern Pacific and Amalgamated Copper advancing substantially over yesterday's close. New York Central was also strong on declaration of the regular dividend, and Lehigh Valley, which at first exhibited heaviness soon recovered. Chesapeake and Ohio and Delaware and Hudson were weak, the latter losing over three points.

The following were the open, high, low, noon, previous close quotations on the stock exchange:

Brooklyn Union Gas, with a ten point decline to its minimum of 118, was one of the few features of the stagnant mid-session. The general decline was arrested, however, Union Pacific and Lehigh Valley rallying a point or more, with fractional recoveries elsewhere.

The following were the open, high, low, last sale and previous close quotations on the stock exchange:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Prev. Close.
Amalga. Copper	49¾	50⅝	49⅛	49½	50
Alaska Gold	24	24⅝	24¼	24¼	24⅛
Am. Beet Sugar	31¼	31⅞	31	31	31
Am. Can Co.	22⅞	23½	22⅞	24	23⅝
Am. Car Foundry	45	45	42½	42½	45
Am.; Cotton Oil	....	....	....	38½	....
Am. Ice Securities	20¼	20¼	20¼	20¼	20½
Am. Locomotive	21	21⅜	21	21⅜	22
Am. Smelting	53½	54⅛	54⅛	54⅛	55
Am. Sugar Refin.	101⅞	101⅞	101⅞	101⅞	....
Am. Tel. & Tel.	....	....	....	....	116
Anaconda	24⅝	24¾	24⅜	24⅜	24¼
Atchison	90	90½	89½	89¾	90
Balto. & Ohio	67¼	67⅝	67	67	67¼
Bethlehem Steel	42¾	43	42⅛	42¾	42¼
Bethlehem St., pf.	....	....	....	....	88½
Brook. Rap. Tran.	84	84¾	84	84¾	84
Canadian Pacific	154	154½	153¼	153½	153⅝
Central Leather	36¼	37	36⅛	37	36⅜
Chesa. & Ohio	40⅝	40⅞	40½	40½	41¼
Colo. Fuel & Iron	....	....	....	....	23
Consolidated Gas	113	113	113	113	112½
Corn Products	8	8	8	8	....
Dela. & Hudson	138¾	138¾	138¾	138¾	....
Den. & Rio G.	6	6	6	6	8⅞
Dist. Securities	12	12	12	12	....
Erie	21	21⅝	20⅛	21	21¼
Erie, 1st	33	33	33	33	33½
General Electric	....	....	....	....	137¾
General Motors	76⅞	77	76¼	76⅞	79
G. Northern Ore.	24	24½	24	24	25
G. Northern, pf.	112½	112½	112	112	112
Great Western	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	....
Interboro	12⅛	12⅛	12	12	11⅞
Interboro, pf.	....	....	....	....	50
Illinois Central	....	....	....	107¾	108¼
K. C. Southern	....	....	....	21	....
Kansas & Texas	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	....
Lehigh Valley	128	129¼	127¼	127¼	130⅜
Mex. Petroleum	....	....	....	52	....
Missouri Pacific	9¼	9½	9¼	9½	9¼
N. Y. Central	82½	82½	81¾	81¾	81¼
New Haven	53	53	53	53	53½
Norfolk & West.	....	....	....	....	99
Northern Pacific	98½	98⅝	97	97¼	97¾
Ontario & West.	20⅜	20⅜	20⅜	20⅜	20½
Pennsylvania	104½	104½	102¾	103	102½
Phila. & Read.	140	142	140	140½	140½
Pressed Steel Car	34⅜	43⅜	33⅞	33⅞	....
Rep. I. & Steel	....	....	....	18	....
Rep. I. & S., pd.	75⅛	75⅛	75⅛	75⅛	....
Rock Island	¾	¾	¾	¾	¾
Rock Island, pd.	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
Sloss-Sheffnield	....	....	....	22½	22
Southern Pacific	81	81¾	81	81	81⅛
Southern Ry., pf.	85½	85½	85¼	85½	85
Southern Ry. pf.	....	....	....	68	....
St. Paul	85½	85½	85¼	85½	85
Seaboard A. L.	....	....	....	10¼	....
Third Ave.	35¼	35⅝	35	35	....
Tenn. Copper	....	....	....	30½	29¾
Texas Pacific	....	....	....	....	12½
Union Pacific	114⅜	115¼	113¼	114	113⅝
U. S. Rubber	....	....	....	....	53
U. S. Steel	48	48¼	48	48	48
U. S. Steel pf.	103¼	104	103¼	104	103¾
Utah Copper	47	47	46¼	46¼	46⅝
V.-C. Chem. Co.	17	17	17	17	....
Wabash	⅞	⅞	⅞	¾	....
Western Union	....	....	....	....	56¾
W'house Elec. Co.	....	....	....	....	66¾

MERCANTILE PAPER AND EXCHANGE

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Mercantile paper 4@4½.

Sterling exchange steady; 60 day bills 4.83; for cables 4.86.56; for demand 4.86.

Bar silver, 48¾c.

MONEY MARKET

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Call money steady; high 3; low 2¾; ruling arte 3; last loan 3; closing bid 2¾; offered at 3.

Time loans dull, 60 and 90 days and six months 3¾@4.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Butter unchanged. Eggs unchanged; receipts 2,540 cases. Potatoes unchanged; receipts 8 cars. Poultry—Alive lower; springs, 11c; fowls, 10½c; turkeys, 15c.

INTERESTING NEWS AND GOSSIP OF THE MARKETS

Weather Reports, Crop Advices and Expert Opinions

COTTON GOSSIP

Times-Picayune says: The cotton market is just now in a thoroughly healthy state, in the sense that there is no great volume of speculative buying to inflate values for the moment, with tragic results later on. The rings consequently have to take their cue from spots though self interest makes the rings bullish at heart.

Throughout the next few weeks at least the course of values is quite sure to depend upon the exports. If Europe continues to take at the present rate the south's problem will be comparatively simple. With regards the probable exports, a working idea may be got from the following statement of the quantities on shipboard at Galveston last Monday: Great Britain, 58,586, against 26,190 last year; France, 13,150, against 2,341; other ports, 73,701, against 30,412; coast wise, 2,870, against 2,258; total, 148,307, against 61,301. But the real crux of the problem lies in the acreage for 1915. With a sharp decrease assured, the public and the professionals would quickly impound the surplus and carry it forward to better times. Nobody likes to buy "a pig in a poke," nor does anybody care to impound one surplus unless another is impossible. With food stuffs so high, a sharp decrease of cotton acreage seems certain; yet man is a peculiar animal and acreage is man made.

Dry Goods: Southern mills today accepted foreign orders for two million pairs of cotton hosiery for shipment.

This is purely a holiday market, little or nothing doing.—Anderson.

Very large exports today. Three ports together clear 58,000 bales.

Weather map shows cloudy entire belt with percipitation general and still raining over most of the belt. Continued rains, particularly in the western half of the belt during the past two weeks is bound to cause extensive loss to unpicked cotton and will affect ginning for this period.—Kofler.

Forecast: Kentucky—Partly cloudy and colder tonight and Friday, with a cold wave.

Virginia—Cloudy tonight and Friday, probably rain on the coast and rain or snow interior; colder Friday; fresh southwest winds.

Georgia—Cloudy tonight and Friday; probably rain.

Alabama—Cloudy tonight and Friday, probably rain; colder Friday.

Tennessee—Cloudy and colder tonight and Friday; probably rain or snow.

Mississippi—Cloudy tonight and Friday, probably snow or rain; cooler Friday.

Louisiana—Tonight and Friday occasional rain; light easterly winds on the coast.

Arkansas—Unsettled tonight and Friday, probably rain in south and rain or snow in north portion; colder tonight.

Oklahoma—Unsettled tonight and Friday, probably snow in south portion; colder tonight.

East Texas—Unsettled tonight and Friday, probably rain; colder tonight in northwest portion, colder Friday; gentle to moderate northest to north winds on the coast.

West Texas—Unsettled tonight and Friday, probably rain in south and snow in north portion, colder tonight except in southeast portion; colder Friday in southeast portion.

Opening was again marked by buying by foreign interests which was about the only support of the market. The local operators and commission houses sold and the general impression is that the market will have a decline after the holidays. However, it would not seem safe to follow the decline too far.—Anderson.

STOCK GOSSIP.

Dow, Jones summary: Bank of England rate unchanged at 5 per cent. New York Central declares regular quarterly dividend of 1¼ per cent, payable February 1. Officially announced that London stock exchange will reopen January 4. Charles M. Schwab returns from Europe, optimistic regarding business outlook. Twelve industrials, 73.57, off 1.33; twenty active rails, 87.91, off 1.82.

Stock exchange reduces minimum prices. Atlantic Coast Line, 102; Louisville and Nashville, 115; Southern railway, 14; San Jose, 58; Virginia-Carolina, 17; Virginia-Carolina, preferred, 85.

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Weather Conditions

Forecast till 7 p. m. Friday:

Atlanta and vicinity: Cloudy tonight and Friday, probably with rain.

Georgia: Cloudy tonight and Friday, probably with rain.

Alabama: Cloudy tonight and Friday, probably with rain; colder Friday.

Generally unsettled weather continues to prevail over most of the country east of the Rocky Mountains, with snow in the north and rain at a large number of southern stations. The atmospheric pressure is lowest over the southwest and high over the plateau region and Manitoba. The indications are for a gloomy, more or less rainy Christmas day over almost the entire country from the Mississippi eastward.

Temperatures are moderately above freezing in the south and continue decidedly low in the north and northwest. At 7 a. m. the temperatures ranged from 54 degrees at Jacksonville to 36 degrees at Atlanta, 28 degrees at Chicago, 14 degrees below zero at Duluth, and 28 degrees below zero at Winnipeg. It is also cold over the plateau region.

Weather for Atlanta on Christmas day: Cloudy, gloomy weather is indicated for Christmas day, with probably occasional rain. The morning temperature will be about 36 degrees, and it will begin to fall in the afternoon, colder weather being indicated for Friday night and Saturday. Wind southeast, shifting to northwest.

C. F. VON HERRMANN,
Section Director.

SUGAR MARKET

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Sugar futures opened 1 point higher to 2 points lower. The market became steadier later on the firmness in the spot position. Prices at 12:30 were around last night's closing levels with sales of 350 tons.

The spot market was firm at 4.01 for centrifugal and 3.36 for molasses. Refined steady.

ST. LOUIS PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Associated Press.)

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 24.—Poultry unchanged except turkeys, 17½c.

Butter unchanged.

Eggs lower, 30c.

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LIVERPOOL COTTON WAS STEADY AT THE DECLINE

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Liverpool was due to come 4½ to 5¼ points lower; opened, quiet and steady, 5½ to 6½ points off.

Cotton, spot, quiet; prices irregular; American middling, fair, 5.42; good middling, 4.77; middling, 4.53; low middling, 4.06; good ordinary, 3.44; ordinary, 2.99.

Sales, 5,000 bales, including 4,600 American and 500 for speculation and export.

Receipts, 5,000 bales, including 3,100 American.

Futures closed steady; 3½ to 4 points down.

The following were the ruling prices in the exchange today:

Tone barely steady; sales, 6,000; middling, 4.58d.

	Opening Range.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Jan. & Feb.	4.50@4.53	4.53	4.56½
May & June	4.25@4.28	4.28	4.31½
July & Aug.	4.33@4.35	4.35	4.39
Oct. & Nov.	4.44½@4.46½	4.47	4.50½

LIVERPOOL COTTON STATISTICS.

Week's sales 27,000, against 24,000 last year; American 20,000, against 19,000 last year.

For export 4,200, against 400.

For speculation 100, against 1,700.

Forwarded 46,000, against 78,000.

Total stock 738,000, against 91,000; American 465,000, against 700,000.

Actual week's exports 3,000, against 13,000.

Receipts for week 96,000, agaist 112,000; American 78,000, against 89,000.

Receipts since September 1, 986,000, against 2,054,000; American 786,000, against 1,570,000.

Stock afloat 473,000, against 327,000; American 422,000, against 261,000.

NOTICES

Best Jellico, $4.25 Special.
CASH COAL COMPANY,
Ivy 3284; Atl. 335.

SPECIAL NOTICES

TO THE HOLDERS OF THE BONDS of Atlantic Ice & Coal Corporation: Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of the trust mortgage made by Atlantic Ice & Coal Corporation to Trust Company of Georgia, of date February 1, 1910, the following bonds, having been drawn by lot, are hereby called for retirement by the sinking fund:

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These bonds must be presented for retirement on or before noon, January 1, 1915, at the office of the undersigned, in the city of Atlanta, Georgia, after which time all further interest on said bonds shall cease and the other provisions of said mortgage respecting the same shall become effective. TRUST COMPANY OF GEORGIA.

BANK CLOSING NOTICE

Friday, December 25th, "Christmas," is a legal holiday, and the banks composing the Atlanta Clearing House Association will be closed for business on that day.

Also, the banks will be closed for business on Saturday, December 26th.

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